

BREACH IN PARTY GROWING

U. S. FLYERS
SAVED THRU
DOGS' BARK

Balloons, Speeding Toward
Icy Desert, Heard Canine
Clamor, Descended

LANDED NEAR OUTPOST

First Interview With Airmen,
Lost In Canada, Is
Given Out

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—It was revealed today for the first time that the three American balloonists landed in Quebec before they finally came down near Moose Factory.

S. A. Bradbury of the Hudson Bay Company, the first white man to reach a railroad after having talked with the rescued aeronauts, in an exclusive interview with the United Press Saturday, told of this hitherto unknown landing on the farm of a Frenchman "somewhere in Quebec."

The Americans—Lieutenants Minor Hinton and Farrell—told Bradbury that their anchor rope became entangled in a tree and they came down on the back of a small creek. The only man they could find was a French farmer who was evidently ignorant of the geography of the country and couldn't give them any directions beyond telling them that that region was called "Wills." This man's lack of knowledge is responsible for the fact that the Americans penetrated so deeply into the north. Had they been able to learn their location from him, they probably would have remained there. The landing at this farm also breaks the continuity of their balloon trip, hitherto considered as a possible record.

CLAMOR OF DOGS HEARD
When they found that the Frenchman could give them no information, said Bradbury, "they descended. Lieutenant Hinton said he questioned the man for 20 minutes without result."

With no idea of their whereabouts, Bradbury said, three aeronauts (Hinton, Farrell and himself) took to the clouds. They continued northward, but, of course, did not realize that they were being carried into frozen and uninhabited regions. They peered downward thru every rift in the clouds and at last thought they made out a group of houses.

"Occasionally," said Bradbury, "they decided it must be a mirage. So they were swept on toward the frozen stretches of James Bay, where they probably would have descended into a veritable desert of ice, miles from any shelter, had not the dogs at the Moose Factory trading post set up a clamor for their dinner just as the men were passing overhead."

WANDERED THREE DAYS
The dogs heard the dinner bell ringing, and as is their habit, set up an immediate uproar. This sound, carried a long way thru the frosty air, the balloonists, sailing along in absolute silence, heard it. It seemed providential that the balloon should be passing over the post at that particular time. They immediately started to come down, but the dogs barking dwindled away where they landed, and they started out in a southeasterly direction. Lieutenant Hinton carrying the compass.

They wandered about for three days without sleep, and scarcely any food. Sleep is dangerous in the extreme cold, as it is apt to merge into unconsciousness and death by freezing. Whenever they stopped to rest they kindled fires and sat so close to them that their boots were warmed. The story of one arriving at Moose Factory in his bare feet is, however, incorrect.

The two pigeons which they killed for food were stuck on spits of sticks and roasted over the fire. The hopelessness of their situation, nothing but woods and brush all around them, and with no idea of their location, told upon them severely.

HINTON LIFE OF PARTY
Their first night at Moose Factory after their rescue, they could not sleep on account of their suffering.

Hinton was the life of the party throughout. The others told me that he showed buoyancy of spirit when the others were depressed. "When things looked blackest he kept assuring them confidently that

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WOMAN P. M. PLAN
WINS FAVOR

Lima Women Express Themselves for Most Part In Accord With Suggestion—Feel that the Idea Is a Splendid One

As Voters, They Should Share In the Opportunities and Returns from Holding Office, Elective or Appointive, Is Sentiment

That there is considerable sentiment among women of Lima in favor of a woman for postmasteress in charge of the Lima postoffice, to succeed Postmaster J. E. Sullivan, is quite apparent. Women have come into their own with the responsibilities of citizenship having been extended in the ballot being conferred upon them, and many of them feel that if they are required to assist in shaping the political destinies of the country, they should have the right to hold office, elective or appointive.

SEEK SHARE OF SPOILS

Voting and helping gain votes for their party candidates is all well and good, they believe, but they also feel that they should share in the distribution of party spoils. Announcement made a few days ago of a boom having been started among the women of Lima in favor of Mrs. Josiah Jones, chairman of the G. O. P. women's committee in the fall campaign, for postmasteress, has aroused considerable interest among women voters all over the city and it is anticipated that there will be other candidates from the ranks of the gentler sex.

In past years, there has been no one to gain the pursuit of elective and appointive positions by men only, but that is all changed now, since the women have become voters and since they had a large share in the responsibilities of the last campaign.

WHAT WOMEN THINK

The Lima News has interviewed a number of Lima women, irrespective of their political affiliations, on the question of a woman postmaster and while a few were found who are opposed to the idea, many others favor the plan. It is only natural that some women oppose the appointment of one of their sex to have charge of the postoffice, as there are still many women who are opposed to voting, even though the law has given them the right of the ballot. Following are statements from a number of Lima women:

MRS. LUAN H. BUTLER: "I think the idea of having a woman postmaster is a fine one. I believe that a majority of the women of Lima would favor it."

MRS. JOHN HARLEY: "If the women can vote the same as men, they certainly should be capable of holding a man's position."

MRS. W. E. CHAYTON: "I think that a woman should hold any position in the world if she has the inclination or is capable of holding that position."

MRS. ROSS MULLEN: "It is a fine idea, having a woman postmaster. Of course, a woman in that position would have the task of directing a number of men, but I feel that any capable woman could manage them."

Mrs. Mullen was employed at one time as agent for the American and Adams express companies and states that she successfully directed men employed by the same company.

MRS. KENT W. HUGHES: "Of course, a great deal depends upon the woman. However, I think that the standards should be considered, as well as men. The matter of sex should make no difference, providing the woman is equally as capable as the man."

MRS. BEECHER MOKE: "I think it's alright. However, a great deal depends upon the woman and the circumstances she is in."

MRS. EDWARD FOSTER: "I really haven't given the idea very much consideration, but I don't think it's exactly the best thing to do."

MRS. M. S. THOMPSON: "I suppose now that women are taking a hand in politics, they have a perfect right to try for anything."

MRS. I. R. LONGWORTH: "I think it very fine indeed."

OHIOAN ELECTED

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Professor Clark W. Chamberlain, of Denison University, Ohio, today was elected president of the Association of American Colleges at the close of its annual convention here.

HOW WANT No. 4

FOR SALE—Singer Sewing machine, drop head, practically new. Cheap. Phone State 1163, 225 So. Metcalf St.

Mrs. F. H. Roamer, 225 S. Metcalf-st., advertised a sewing machine for sale, ordering a wait ad run five days.

The ad was ordered out after the first insertion as the machine was sold. It cost Mrs. Roamer only 35 cents to convert the sewing machine into money.

Lima News want ads will do as much for you, if you have something to sell, want to buy something, if you have property for rent or sale or wish to rent or purchase a home.

Let the want ads do it for you.

PRISONER 10
DAYS, FREED

Legless Magazine Publisher
Tells of Being Kidnaped
In Chicago

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 8.—As mysteriously as he vanished on the night of December 27, from the Hotel La-Salle, Chicago, Jacques Villard, the legless St. Louis magazine publisher, turned up at his home here today. Tonight the local office of a national detective agency was cooperating with its Chicago bureau in an effort to trace kidnapers whom Villard, in a remarkable story, declared had held him captive in Chicago until 1:15 o'clock last night, when they became alarmed as the result of newspaper publicity given the case and released him.

For ten days, the publisher said, he had been a captive in a tenement house in the poorer section of Chicago, when released his crippled form was tossed into the streets near the lakeside. Suffering from the cold, he crawled for a block until he found aid.

On the night of his disappearance, Villard said a tall blonde man agreed to take him from the hotel to the depot. From the hotel lobby he was carried to a taricab. The driver, it developed, was in on the plot and drove him rapidly to the tenement house where he was blindfolded and held for ransom. They took \$1,500 in cash and jewelry valued at \$500, and demanded that he send for more money.

CHICAGO STARTS PROBE

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 8.—The police are conducting an investigation in the vicinity where Jacques Villard, the St. Louis publisher, says he was held captive for almost a fortnight. Villard was seen last night by John F. Dopp, insurance salesman, in east Chestnut-st. "For God's sake, help me!" the legless publisher said. Thinking him a beggar, Dopp went on.

On the street was found a gray blanket and a green automobile robe, which bore the trade mark of the manufacturer, "J. O. Ballard, Madison, N. Y."

JUDGMENT APPEALED

The Pennsylvania railroad has appealed to common pleas court a suit in justice court, wherein F. W. Oen secured a judgment of \$263 against them. Oen claimed two rugs and household goods were lost, destroyed or stolen in shipment from Wichita, Kansas, to Lima, September last.

LOST SUIT, CASE APPEALED

Mary M. Yaut has appealed to common pleas court the judgment in justice court of \$37, which the Chicago Credit House, L. Guralnick, proprietor, secured against her. She charged she paid the company \$37 more on a coat than the bill called for. She lost the case in justice court.

MATE, BELIEVED DEAD,
CONFRONTS WIFE

ORANGE, N. J., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Barker Pierson of this city, today announced that her first husband, Charles Toops, who she thought had been dead nearly 14 years, suddenly had confronted her yesterday to ask the address of their son.

In 1907 the body of a man, some of whose personal effects she then Mrs. Toops, identified as those of her husband, was found in a Morristown mill pond. Because of the condition of the body she had been advised not to view it, she said. Five years later she married again. Her first son now is in the navy, she said, and a second by her second husband, is living in Orange with her.

Mrs. Pierson was confronted at the front door by Toops yesterday. She said he abruptly walked away after obtaining the address of his son.

LED TO HER
"SOUL MATE
BY SPIRITS"

Mrs. Franzen Tells Why She
Deserted Her Husband for
Author

PAIR TAKEN TO CHICAGO

Elopers Waive Extradition
After Their Arrest In City
of St. Louis

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 8.—Pierre Paul Authier who is alleged to have forcibly taken

Mrs. Phillip M. Franzen, wife of an employee of Wisconsin University, from her husband Tuesday night, will be brought to Madison to stand trial on a charge of grand larceny, police officers said today. Mrs. J. F. Venfauer, of Sheboygan, Wis., an aunt of Mrs. Franzen, said today that her niece believed in spiritualism, and quoted her as having said:

"The spirits have decreed that Pierre and I were intended for each other and we will take a trip to California very soon, where Pierre will build a bungalow for me and we will live our lives over again happily."

TAKEN TO CHICAGO

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 8.—Paul Pierre Authier of Highland Park, Ill., and Mrs. Phillip M. Franzen of Madison, Wis., wife of a University of Wisconsin employee, waived extradition today and were taken to Chicago by detectives. They were arrested early today at the home of a newspaper man, where a reporter had escorted them to obtain an interview.

A warrant charging larceny has been issued against Authier in Madison, Wisconsin, and he also is wanted at Highland Park on a charge of wife and child abandonment.

Before boarding the train for Chicago, Mrs. Franzen emphasized that she and Authier were "soul mates" and never had been married. She asserted they had known each other about seven months and had told her husband she and Authier were married 13 years ago in Australia, merely to "pacify him."

HAPPY AS TO FUTURE

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 8.—Arrested here after a unique courtship and elopement spiced with all the details

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POLL TAX OF
\$5 MAY BE
MADE LAW

Revenue Plan Put Up to Congress by Dry Goods Association

RAISES FEE ON INCOMES

Complete Program for Revision Is Mapped Out by Committee

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—A comprehensive program for revision of the federal tax laws, estimated to yield annually the \$4,000,000,000 which Secretary Houston has said the treasury required, was filed today with the house ways and means committee by the tax committee of the National Retail Dry Goods Association.

The plan worked out by the trade organization contains several proposals not heretofore advanced, including the assessment of a federal poll tax of \$5 on each person over 21 years old who receives an independent income. Income tax exemptions, it is proposed, would be raised at from \$1,000 to \$2,500 for unmarried persons and at from \$2,000 to \$5,000 for heads of families. All business would be allowed an exemption of \$5,000.

FEATURES OF PROGRAM

Other features carried in the program, which was approved thru a referendum of the organization's 2,000 members, provide that:

Income from salaries, wages, bonuses and commissions should not be taxed at so high a rate as income from business and investments.

Income derived from business, whether individual, partnership or corporate, should be taxed on the business itself and be subject to no additional tax when distributed to partners or stockholders.

All other incomes, including profit from sales of capital assets, should be taxed at a higher rate than income from business, and in a still higher degree than income from manual or mental efforts.

There should be a tax on gross sales of all goods sufficient when added to all other taxes proposed in the program and including customs receipts to aggregate the required \$4,000,000,000.

EXCESS PROFITS

The program would eliminate from the present revenue act the excess profits tax, surtaxes on individuals, taxes on transportation, insurance, admission, dues and on non-alcoholic beverages and special and capital stock taxes, stamp taxes and certain excise taxes.

The normal income rate would be fixed at four per cent on the first \$4,000 above the exemption while the remainder would be subjected to a tax of 8 per cent no surtaxes would be levied.

Income from business institutions would be taxed at ten per cent on amounts above the exemption.

All other incomes including "unearned" or investment income and profits would bear surtaxes ranging from one per cent on incomes from \$20,000 to \$50,000 to six per cent on incomes in excess of \$50,000.

Estimates compiled by the association committee placed the revenue from the five dollar poll tax at \$100,000,000 annually. From income taxes, of all kinds proposed in the plan it was estimated the revenue would be approximately \$3,900,000,000 and the organization proposed a rate of one per cent which would yield \$1,150,000,000.

SLATED FOR POST IN
STATE DEPARTMENT

James M. Beck

According to word from Marion O. James M. Beck of New York, former assistant attorney general, will be under secretary of state in the Harding administration. This report is strengthened by the fact that Beck has moved to Washington. He has also resigned from the board of directors of the Merchants association in New York.

KEPT ALIVE
BY 'MANNA'

Illinois Woman "Nourished
by Christ" as She Prays
for Husband

DANVILLE, Ill., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Sadie Harrington was slowly starving, and supplicating the Divinity to save her husband's soul here tonight, while "Ernie" Harrington, unemployed husband, was selling poultry and butter to the townsfolk in his little produce store.

"Spiritual manna" is keeping Mrs. Harrington alive on the 41st day of her hunger strike, she told the United Press tonight.

"The Bible tells us that manna which fell from on high saved the life of the children of God," she said.

"Christ is nourishing my body with spiritual food."

"God will take care of his children—I know I will not die in my effort to save Ernie's soul."

"Forty-one days ago as I was preparing lunch, I had a vision," Mrs. Harrington said. "An angel appeared and told me never to partake of food until Ernie became an evangelist in the church of God."

Mrs. Harrington said she sees nothing strange in her part.

"I am simply following out a precept of Christianity," she said. "Christ fasted forty days to overcome Satan. I am doing the same thing to overcome Satan's possession of my husband's soul."

She stopped short and lifted her eyes upward, uttered this simple prayer:

"Oh, Lord, please make Ernie see the light. Make him quit changing money in the market place and send him to the uttermost parts of the earth to tell of Thee."

SUIT TO RECTIFY ERROR

IN NUMBERING A DEED

Error in the numbering of a deed, discovery of the error and change many years afterward, making Elizabeth Roethlisberger's husband, Jacob, half owner of her property, was put for rectification in a suit filed in common pleas court Saturday.

Mrs. Roethlisberger secured the property, a lot in Bluffton, from her first husband. She left it to her first husband's daughter by her first marriage, O. L. Lippincott, administrator, with the sales tax which the organization proposed with a rate of one per cent which would yield \$1,150,000,000.

The fact that he was not endorsed by the committee in no manner interferes with his right to hold the appointment bestowed by Prosecuting Attorney Lippincott.

DIVIDEND RECORD SET

FALL RIVER, Mass., Jan. 8.—A new high record for dividends was made by the cotton mills of this city during the year 1920 according to a summary issued today. The total dividends paid during the mill year of 1920 amounted to \$9,989,300, an average of 29.149 per cent on a capitalization of \$36,060,000. The best previous record was in 1918 when there was disbursement of \$6,085,226 for a rate of 18.489 per cent.

R. R. TRUBEY
DID NOT WIN
G.O.P. HELP

Executive Committee Has
Not Approved Lippincott's
Choice

PARTY CHIEF'S DENIAL

Secretary Simonton Admits
No Action Has Been
Taken

Admitting Saturday night that R. R. Trubey, appointed a week ago by Eugene Lippincott as assistant prosecuting attorney of Allen-co had not been endorsed by the Republican executive committee, despite a published statement to that effect, H. E. Simonton, secretary of the committee, further complicated the Allen-co political situation and afforded proof of the fact that there is a serious split in the G. O. ranks in this county.

DENIAL BY SIMONTON

"The committee, of which I am the secretary, has not endorsed Trubey," Simonton said. "I did not call a meeting at any time for the purpose of considering the endorsement of Trubey for the position of assistant prosecuting attorney and I was not notified at any time that such a meeting was or would be held. The committee did not hold a meeting since December 15, until Saturday, and I am sure that he was not endorsed at that time."

Colonel A. E. Gale, chairman, informed a Lima News reporter that he had been out of the city for 16 days and that he had left committee matters in the hands of Vice Chairman Earl Rohn.

ROHN ADDS DISCLAIMER

"If a meeting of the Republican committee has been held for the endorsement of Trubey, I know nothing about it. I was not there if a meeting was held," Rohn said.

Prosecuting Attorney Lippincott, in response to a query as to whether his appointment of Trubey had been endorsed by the Republican committee, said he did not care to discuss it, neither affirming or denying the report that he had become current that the committee has not acted on the Trubey appointment.

A. J. Morris, secretary of the board of deputy state supervisors of elections and a member of the committee, said that he didn't know whether such an endorsement had been made, as he was not present at all of the meetings.

George Quail, another member of the committee, refused to comment on the question, referring the inquirer to Chairman Gale.

APPOINTMENT HELD UP

Trubey's appointment was announced two weeks ago Saturday, but before gaining publication was recalled, with a request that it be held up until the committee could act on an endorsement. A week later, when announcement of the appointment was released for publication, a Republican paper stated that Trubey's appointment had received the full endorsement of the Republican central and executive committees; that the "appointment was in accordance with the desires of the executive committee" and that he was "at all times favored by the county committee."

Failure of the executive committee to endorse Trubey is not surprising in view of the fact that he was one of leaders in an insurgent movement against the old-time party heads when the committee was organized last August and is active in the ranks of the younger Republicans of the city and county.

The fact that he was not endorsed by the committee in no manner interferes with his right to hold the appointment bestowed by Prosecuting Attorney Lippincott.

It was stated Saturday night that the Republican executive committee in session during the afternoon, endorsed A. L. Matheany for state highway commissioner, under the administration of Governor-to-be Harry L. Davis.

LIMA CINDERELLA CAN WIN VALUABLE PRIZE

WHERE is Lima's Cinderella? Is she a sit-by-the-fire girl, a little slavey, millinery clerk, stenographer, or does she come from millady's household where there is no hand to be turned save to make the face prettier?

According to experts, San Francisco, Atlanta, Pittsburgh and Portland are the only Cinderella homes. That is because the average size of women's shoes worn in those cities is only 4 1-2. In Cleveland the average is 5 1-2. In St. Paul the average is 6, which gives the saints the prize for good understanding. In Detroit the women wear an average of 3 3-4 size.

What is the average in Lima? This city always has a reputation for having unusually pretty girls. How about their feet? Do they keep in

tune with the lovely lady's face? Will slip as easily in a Viola Dana's? The girl in Lima having feet that Cinderella slipped on Cinderella



Girls, will these slippers fit your feet? If they do, you may win a prize.

slipped into the glass footwear of the prince will be rewarded. A duplicate pair of Viola Dana's slippers is now on display in Good-

ine's shoe store window. If any Lima girl believes she has Cinderella feet, she can try on Viola's duplicates on Wednesday morning only from nine o'clock until twelve in Gooding's ladies shoe department. The first girl over eighteen years of age whose feet fit Viola's slippers most neatly will win a \$16.00 pair of shoes or slippers made to order.

Second prize will be a \$14.00 pair. These slippers will be ordered direct from I. Miller & Sons, New York City makers of the Cinderella slipper.

Third and fourth prizes will be two passes each to the Sigma Theatre to witness Viola Dana in her latest photo play "Cinderella's Twin."

Reputation of Lima's girl's loveliness is at stake. Go to Gooding's shoe store on Wednesday morning and try on the slippers.

CONSPIRACY WITH GERMANY SEEN

Sinn Fein is Charged With Pro-German Plotting

"BLOW AIMED AT BRITAIN"

Berlin's Aid in Irish Rebellion Claimed by London

LONDON, Jan. 8.—The Sinn Fein organization of Ireland stood formally charged tonight with pro-German plotting.

The indictment was in the form of a 59-page "white book," a compilation of documents, tending to show Sinn Fein plotting with Germany for the landing of troops and munitions to aid the Irish rebellion.

Former Ambassador Von Bernstorff was represented in the compilation with a number of notes alleged to have signed by him. British officials dwell on his contributions, as showing the ramification of the conspiracy to unite Germany and the Sinn Fein to pull Great Britain down.

One of Bernstorff's notes was said to have been attached surreptitiously to documents relating to the Lusitania negotiations and to have been passed by the United States department. That note read:

"John Devoy informs me that Ireland on Easter Sunday, sent arms to County Limerick."

To this note German officials were said to have replied on March 4, 1916 that 20,000 rifles and necessary ammunition could be landed in Tralee Bay and mentioned signals which would be necessary between the munitions smugglers and the Irish.

The ambassador's next note was dated April 15, 1916, and said Sinn Fein were the support of a body of German troops—no matter how small, just so there would be uniformed men among them to throw fear of German invasion into the British.

Replies to that message from the Berlin foreign office, said it would be impossible to land troops, but that the arms quota could be increased to 20,000 with 6,000,000 cartridges.

The white book said the notes fell into the hands of British officials so that "adequate arrangements were made and the commitment of arms did not reach Ireland."

The book carried over 100 documents, all relating to the development of the Easter rebellion, the plots for carrying arms into Ireland and the government's success in uprooting the conspirators.

PITIFUL STORY IN ALIMONY SUIT

Mother of Six Seeks Aid From Her Husband

Efforts to provide a home for her six children, several of whom were taken from the children's home with that purpose in view, failed after her marriage, according to the tale told by Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Sarsion in a suit for alimony against Lewis Sarsion.

Their marriage occurred on January 15, 1919. She charges he refused her a home, failed to provide food and clothing and refused to allow her to remain in her own home in Cridersville.

Mrs. Sarsion relates she is working for \$15 a week to support her little family, living in two furnished rooms and keeping three of her children in school. She asks Sarsion be forced to support her. He is a fireman at the Baltimore and Ohio shops, Lima, and has refused her any aid, she says.

EASTES EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS DRAW MANY

Large crowds are being attracted by the George D. Eastes evangelistic party at the First Christian church, corner of Elm and West-sts., where they are holding protracted meetings each night.

Saturday night a packed house heard the Rev. Mr. Eastes preach on "Have You Lost Anything?"

Mr. Daugherty, former Chautauqua entertainer, is full of fun and his offerings are a big feature of the meetings.

Much larger crowds are expected for the services tonight, when Mr. Eastes will deliver one of his most stirring sermons, "Up To the Hill and Down Again." This morning he will preach on "Safety First," or "Taking Your Chance."

NEWS STAFF SAMPLE NEW "LIMA MAID" BREAD

The staff of the Lima News were invited Saturday to loaves of bread from the Stolzenbach Baking company their new brand, "Lima Maid." It is a new loaf of extra high quality made from a new formula by a new process.

The wrapper is green and red striped, making an attractive package that will be easily recognized. Judging from the samples, "Lima Maid" will become a popular selling bread.

Royal Neighbors of America and Lima Lodge No. 3240, Modern Woodmen of America, will hold a joint installation, Tuesday evening. All Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodmen and their families are invited to attend. Otto Miller, orator, Flettie Hardesty, recorder.

JOB SEEKERS FLEECE BY BOY, POLICE CHARGE

CLEVELAND, Jan. 8.—John Voytko, 16, hatched out a get-rich-quick scheme with a rubber hat, rubber raincoat and rubber boots as the props. He was making money rapidly when the police stepped in and now he is in the boys' industrial school at Lancaster.

Voytko, according to police, picked his victims from the crowds around the employment agencies. He promised to secure work for all applicants at his place of employment, but said it was first necessary to purchase a rubber outfit similar to the one he had.

Each outfit could be purchased for \$20, if secured thru him, he told the applicants. How many gave him the price, police have not learned as yet, but they found a huge roll of bills in his pockets when they arrested him.

DOG'S BARK SAVES U. S. FLYERS

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of a medieval romance, Pierre Paul Auer, "Spanish grantees," chemist and Don Quixote of Highland Park, Ill., and Mrs. Charles Franzen, wife of an employee of the University of Wisconsin, are a little bawdy tonight as to what the future holds for them.

Author does not know whether he is to be prosecuted for alleged violation of the Mann act, or is to be brought to his own home to face his deserted wife.

Mrs. Franzen doesn't know whether she will have to go back to her husband at Madison, Wis., or remain here until the case of her partner in the elopement is disposed of by the authorities.

Both Auer and Mrs. Franzen denied the allegations of the woman's husband, that she was "stolen" at the point of a pistol. They also denied that Auer forced Franzen to give him a check for \$100 before they departed on their "honeymoon."

WOMAN WEEPS

Mrs. Franzen said she cried the first night away from home.

"I couldn't help thinking of my husband," she said. She glanced at Auer, weeping, she rushed to him, threw her arms around him and kissed him.

"But I love Pierre," she said, "and I know he loves me."

As for the adventures Auer, he appeared unconcerned. He laid the blame on his wife, saying she nagged him and accused him of having affairs with other women. He said he met Mrs. Franzen in Milwaukee and fell in love with her at once. I wanted her and got her. Some day I will take her to Mexico."

She said they were on their way to Mexico when caught.

The authorities at Highland Park and Madison have been notified. A charge of grand larceny in connection with the check has been filed against Auer. He is also charged with deserting the wife and baby to another woman.

Mrs. Franzen is 23. She was raised in a convent in Milwaukee. Auer is 33.

CALLED HER VILE NAMES, CHARGE

Maria Kreig, in Divorce Suit, Recites Marital Woes

That she not only acquired a husband by her marriage, but four children of his by a former marriage, was the complaint of Mrs. Maria Kreig, in a suit for divorce from John S. Kreig, Saturday.

Mrs. Kreig says that shortly after their marriage on September 4, 1919, in Lima, he brought two of his children to their home and later brought the remaining two. She charges he feigned illness and refused to work. She was forced to seek employment in a factory and feed, housed and clothed the family from December 1, 1919, to April 20, 1920, she declares.

When he beat and struck the children and she interfered she was showed away and called vile names, she relates. Divorce and the restoration of her maiden name of Maria Heintze is asked. Kreig is now said to be in Delaware-co.

B. & O. EMPLOYEES TO STAGE MINSTREL SHOW

Employees of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in Lima have organized a chorus and minstrel group and rehearsals are under way for an entertainment, to be given on February 11. This will be a sort of first meeting, to be held in the Elks' new banquet hall.

Employees of the Baltimore & Ohio are especially invited, although the public will be welcomed. Admission is free.

Rothschilds' orchestra will provide music. The troupe consists of Baltimore & Ohio employees who have volunteered their services, especially for the entertainment.

EIGHT FACTORIES NOW RUNNING FULL FORCE

The eight Brunswick Phonograph factories, located at Dubuque, Iowa; Muskegon, Mich.; Chicago, Ill.; Rockford, Ill.; Knoxville, Tenn.; Toronto, Canada; Long Island City, N. Y.; and Jersey City, N. J., are again running full force, having closed during December for inventory.

The Brunswick Company are the oldest and largest company now manufacturing Phonographs in the United States. They have been in business forty-seven years and the

PLAN RECEPTION FOR JOHNSON

C. C. Manager to be Introduced to the Members

TUESDAY DINNER, ELKS' HOME

Alarm Clock to be Held on Three Minute Speakers

An alarm clock instead of a stop watch will be held on the speakers Tuesday evening in the Chamber of Commerce dinner and reception to the new manager, at the Elks' Home.

Because of the number listed all have the guest of the evening will be limited to a three minute speech. Plans for the dinner were practically completed when the program committee held a meeting Saturday afternoon. One feature will be pledges by the presidents of a number of the clubs and organization of the city on the attitude of their various associations toward the commercial organization this year.

LIMIT OF SPEAKERS

The three minute addresses will be given by Mayor Burkhardt, representing the city administration; B. A. Gramm, president of the Manufacturers' association; Homer Hughes, vice president Merchants association; Simon Fisher, president of the Real Estate board; Ralph Austin, president Rotary club; Walter Jackson, president Kiwanis club; Dr. E. S. Ashley, president Lions club; Dr. E. D. Shiks, commander of the Lima Post of the American Legion; Robert Plate, president, Y. M. C. A.; and Clarence Breese, president of the Alliance Farm bureau. In addition to these, the Lima Automobile club and the Knights of Columbus will also have a representative present.

A brief business session will immediately follow the dinner. It will consist of the announcement of the recent election of directors by a member of the board of fellows, the announcement of election of officers last week by the retiring president, George E. Bayly and the introduction of the new president, R. S. Dunn, who will introduce the new manager to the dinner and will preside over the remainder of the meeting.

ADDED FEATURES

With Clayton Payne getting out the song sheet, Fred Gilbert leading the singing and Chick Poltz's orchestra jazzing things up a little, its sure to be a good evening's entertainment.

One of the big musical features of the evening will be selections by the Elks' chorus of twenty voices. James L. Jett will sing it, and everybody knows everybody else. Himself and two assistants will distribute large identification tags to be worn in some conspicuous place.

HARDING CONFERS ON NAVY PLANS

Favors Disarmament if Other Nations Fall in Line

MARION, Jan. 8.—Naval disarmament plans being formulated by congressional leaders are understood to have received the general approval of President-elect Harding. These are contingent upon the willingness of other nations to suspend their naval expansion plans.

Harding discussed the naval situation with Congressman Thomas Butler, Pennsylvania chairman of the house naval affairs committee, who carried the president-elect's views back to his colleagues in Washington. Butler himself, said he was in accord with Harding, and stated that now is the time to take up the naval question if it is ever to be taken up.

"The advisability of making the effort seems to be in the mouths of all," Butler said. "I want to know, however, if the nation's asking disarmament are in earnest."

Butler was summoned. Secretary Daniels and naval experts before his committee next Thursday, to furnish information regarding the building plans of other powers.

"The present congress faces the responsibility of voting upon the request of the navy department for \$187,000,000 to round out the present naval program," Butler said. "We want to know whether it would be necessary to grant this request for the safety of the nation."

Completion of the ships now under construction, will give a fleet 200-000 tons greater naval strength than Great Britain, according to Butler, if a disarmament were made as these at a leisurely pace.

A delegation, representing lumber manufacturers of the country laid before Harding their program for bringing down the cost of building materials and stimulating the erection of homes.

Opposition to the emergency tariff bill and other measures designed to benefit a single class was voiced by Harding by R. R. Inman, manager of the Indiana State Chamber of Commerce. Farmers, manufacturers and all other groups, he said, should shoulder the present strain together.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MARY HEFFNER, MONDAY

Funeral services for Mary Heffner, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heffner, of 115 N. Jefferson-st., who died Friday night, will be held Monday at 2 o'clock at the residence. The Rev. Mr. Pettley, pastor of Zion Lutheran church will officiate. Interment will be at Woodlawn. Death followed an illness of 10 days from pneumonia poisoning. She was an only child.

NO HOME, ALLEY TAKEN AS DRUNK

Charles Alley, 28, who told Sergeant Mike Laughlin at police headquarters Saturday night that he didn't have "any home anywhere," was arrested by Officers Blair and Landfair charged with drunkenness, at the B. & O. crossing at Pearl-st.

VAPO STOVES TO BE MANUFACTURED IN LIMA

The Vapo Stove company is completing arrangements to manufacture the Vapo stove in Lima. Operations are expected to start in a short time.

Fred H. Schulenberg, the patentee of the Vapo burner and the members of the company are all Lima people. There have been numerous attempts to secure exclusive rights of the Vapo burner by companies outside of Lima. These have all been refused and the company will operate in this city.

J. T. Kaufman, president of the company, has announced the completion of all necessary machinery to start manufacturing.

WELTY ATTACKS GOV. STEPHENS

Scores Californian for Action on Japanese Question

WASHINGTON — Representative Welty, fourth district of Ohio, attacked Governor Stephens of California, Saturday for sending to members of congress a letter bearing on the Japanese problem in California. Representative Welty declared he was surprised to find a governor "carrying on a propaganda of misrepresentation with the hope of establishing a special national industry to wash the dirty linen of a state."

Governor Stephens said in his letter to members of congress that in the desire to deal with the Japanese question effectively and justly, California had had an exhaustive research made of the entire Oriental problem which showed that there had been tremendous Japanese development in the state in the past decade.

Mr. Welty said congress no doubt would solve the immigration problem "without giving wrongful offense and still exclude all aliens who cannot fit into our national life."

SPIRITS LEAD TO SOUL MATE

(Continued From Page One)

everything would come out all right, and so kept them going.

"When they arrived at the post their knees were sagging with weakness. They said first of all that they wanted to get word to Rockaway and to their relatives. Then they asked for maps to check up the locality and the distance which they had travelled. They were surprised to find they had travelled 820 miles at an average speed of 33 miles an hour.

"When I left the post Klor's feet were blistered somewhat, but it is likely he recovered from that before starting on the trail to Mattico. All three officers were going to practice snow shooting, which they had never attempted previously. On their journey there is, of course, the danger of contracting mal de raquet — sore ankles — which can only be overcome by still more walking, preferably without snowshoes.

Captain Black, of the Hudson Bay Company, said there should not be any hardships on the road, as special attention had been given to all preparations, and only tried and experienced guides were accompanying the party.

"There is no need to worry at all about the safety and comfort of the American officers," said Black. "The journey will be slower, of course, than that of the experienced packer or who often travels very light without tent or camp stove."

"As to the date of their arrival at Mattico, much will depend on the weather encountered, but if they make the journey in from 16 to 17 days, they will be doing well."

It was reported at the office of Revillon Freres, a fur company, that the open winter has caused a layer of slush under the upper snow, and many points of the river down which they are mushing are not frozen, so long detours may be necessitated which will delay them considerably.

EX-JUDGE KILLED

Kentucky Attorney Shot to Death in Miller's Home

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 8.—Sam K. Baird, 48, acting county attorney of Shelby-co and former county judge of Spencerville-co was shot and killed at Shelbyville today in the home of R. L. Prewitt, 54, a retired flour miller, as he was descending the stairway in the Prewitt home. Feeling against Prewitt caused officials to bring him to Louisville, for safekeeping.

Mrs. Prewitt, who was separated from her husband, contemplated bringing an action for divorce. She asserts that with Baird, her attorney, she had gone to the Prewitt home this morning to secure some of her personal effects and that during a controversy between the two men Baird was shot. Prewitt claims he believed Baird was armed and asserts that he shot in self-defense.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Louis Ables, 41, laborer, Lima, and Mrs. Emma M. Franks, 46, domestic, 807 S. Union-st.

Adam Keister, 63, farmer, North Manchester, Ind., and Mrs. Catherine Kuns, 56, domestic, Lima.

John S. Canfield, 23, mechanic, 1102 N. Main-st., and Eva E. Evans, 18, clerk, 1124 N. Main-st.

Enos E. Moore, 26, former, Lima, R. F. D. No. 3, and Clara Miller, 18, Allen-co.

Emery L. Wien, 20, treasurer, Spencerville, and Ethel R. Clevenger, 18, cigar-maker, Lima.

LORD MAYOR MAY BE FINED

U. S. Law Providing Action Against O'Callaghan Found

CLASH LOOMS IN THE CASE

Situation is Discussed in Halls of Congress

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The affairs of an Irish lord mayor, Donal O'Callaghan, of Cork, tonight were commanding the attention of three government departments.

In addition, cases alleged to parallel that of O'Callaghan came up for discussion in congress.

O'Callaghan with Peter MacSwiney, arrived in Norfolk as a stowaway a few days ago and the question of what should be done with him came up.

The state department contends it has final authority to decide whether O'Callaghan should remain in the United States without a passport. But the labor department has paroled O'Callaghan and the state department was not ready to act against him until a legal opinion was received.

The department of justice, although it has not yet entered the case officially, became mindful tonight of a statute which might make O'Callaghan liable to arrest and a \$10,000 fine for entering the country minus a passport.

TALKED IN CONGRESS

The discussion in congress came in a speech by Representative Newton, of Minnesota, who charged that Louis F. Post, assistant secretary of labor, had allowed aliens to enter the country without a passport or without approval of the state department. This, he said, is contrary to law.

Newton claimed that Post, "at least one instance, had stricken from the admission papers of an alien without a passport the proviso that the entry depended upon action by the state department. Stowaways, many of whom are undesirable, have been admitted without submitting the case to the state department, Newton claimed.

"Here, we have the situation of the assistant secretary of a great department deliberately permitting aliens to come into the country in direct violation of the law and the proclamation of the presidents," Newton said. "He is openly disregarding the law and holds that it does not pertain to him."

"There is the case of Arthur Chorges, one of four stowaways. He was let in by the department of labor. In another case that came to my attention, I found after some difficulty in obtaining the papers in the case from the department, that the typewritten portion of the papers requiring the state department visa before entry, was stricken out with a broad pen line and then signed by the assistant secretary of labor."

THRIFT WEEK IS OUTLINED

Plans Framed for Week of January 17 to 23

A meeting of the Industrial Thrift committee was held at the Y. M. C. A. Friday evening. There were present, L. A. Larsen of the Lima Locomotive Works, chairman; H. P. Dean, S. S. Fishel, R. E. Offenbauer, M. J. Roudsush, S. C. Biddle and L. C. Bradshaw. Thrift week will be observed in Lima January 17-23. Eight meetings will be held each day of the week in the shops at the noon hour. The following will be featured: Bank Day, Life Insurance Day, Own Your Own Home Day, Make a Will Day, Thrift of Time Day, Pay Your Bills Promptly Day, and Share With Others Day.

One of the features of the Thrift week will be a competition in essays with prizes. Four prizes will be given for the best essays on Thrift, in each high school. Prizes of \$5.00, \$2.00, \$2.00, and \$1.00 will be given. Owing to the examinations, school essays will be handed in January 31st.

Two prizes are offered to women, for the best essay on Household Thrift; the first prize \$5.00 and the second \$2.50. Two prizes are also offered to men for the best essay on Thrift of Time emphasizing what men have accomplished in their spare time. The prizes will be \$5.00 for the best and \$2.50 for the next best.

LIMA LIFE UNDERWRITERS HOLD LUNCHEON MEETING

Thirty-five members of the Lima Association of Life Underwriters held their monthly session and luncheon Saturday noon at the Elks' Home. J. P. Drewry, Cincinnati, state agent of the association gave the address on "The Percent of Income Needed to Invest in Life Insurance." Local members held a round table discussion of the question.

Plans were also discussed for the association's work during National Thrift week, January 17 to 22nd inclusive, as January 19th has been designated as Life Insurance Day.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION OF "CASH" SALESMEN

C. H. Bell, local sales agent of the National Cash Register company, will attend a convention of sales agents and salesmen of the company at Dayton the week of January 10-14. The convention will discuss business conditions, store systems, efficiency, etc.

The "1920 Hundred percent Club" an organization consisting of the N. C. R. sales agents and salesmen who have secured 100 per cent or more of their year's quota of business, will be guests of honor at the convention.

TEACHER TRAINING AND OTHER "Y" ACTIVITIES

A teacher training class for those who are teaching boys or men's classes in the Sunday Schools or for those who would like to lead classes will be held at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening from 7:30 to 8:30. The teacher is Rev. D. N. Kelly. The fundamental principles of teaching will be taken up and also the next Sunday school lesson. This class is open to all who care to attend.

Class in salesmanship will meet at the Y. M. C. A. Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of trustees of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at the "Y" Wednesday at 7:30.

Industrial Y. M. C. A. Basketball on Tuesday at 7:30.

Church Y. M. C. A. Basketball on Saturday at 7:30.

MILLION WORTH OF AUTOS AT SHOW

89 Makes Are on Display at New York Exhibition

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—More than a million dollars' worth of motor vehicles are on display at the 21st annual automobile show which opened here today.

Three hundred machines of 89 makes, in prices ranging from \$1,500 to \$15,000 represent a year's development in the second industry in the world.

Closer attention to improvement in the engines and mechanical features of the machines, rather than the design of the body, is apparent.

Steam line bodies running from the radiator to the tonneau continue to be most popular, while maroon and green is equally prominent with the more conservative black and dark blue in vogue the last season. Sport models of some of the higher-priced machines have bodies of polished and burnished steel in various striped designs.

Smaller motors seem to be in favor among the builders and many novel features to get power out of the reduced efficiency of gasoline can be found on many of the motors.

STRONG MARKET IN STOCKS

Lima Locomotive and Local Bank Shares Are Wanted

The market for local securities the past week was strong and active, many hundreds of shares changing hands. 300 shares of Lima Locomotive preferred stock at advancing prices, eight points closing at 89, while the common stock as high as 73, 270 shares of Domestic Discount sold at 100. Buckeye Pipe Line advanced four points, Ohio advanced 13 points, Solar Refinery 10 points, and Union Tank 10 points. The advances in the Oil stocks being in line with the general upward tendency of the Oil stocks on the Big Board.

850 shares of Lima Sheet Products Company sold at \$10 per share. Persistent inquiry continues for local bank shares which are strongly held, with only a scattering offering at prices well above book values. Some Delphos Telephone has appeared in the market, and the motor trucks stocks are being carefully scrutinized. Locomotive common looks a bargain around \$75 and predictions are being made that it will go to par with the spring rise. Buckeye Pipe is also being picked up around \$87 and it is an 8 per cent stock with a surplus almost as great as its capital stock.

LIMA STOCKS

Reported by the Washington Co. BANK STOCKS

American Bank 200 205
Ohio Telephone Co. 250 255
Lima Trust Bank 200 210
Old National Bank 100 115

OTHER LIMA STOCKS

Baltimore and Ohio 38 40
Buckeye Machine Works 50 55
Buckeye Pipe Line 80 85
Chambers Pump, pfd. 100 105
Domestic Discount Co. 80 85
Fire 140 145
Garford Motor, pfd. 100 105
Glenview Oil 10 15
Lima Foundry, pfd. 8 10
Lima Locomotive, Com. 65 70
Lima Locomotive, pfd. 80 85
Lima Sewer 100 105
Lima Sheet Metal Prod. Co. 100 110
Lima Sheet Metal Prod. (old) 20 25

Stocks
Lima Telephone 250 255
Ohio Telephone, pfd. 100 105
Ohio Oil 250 255
Pittsburgh, pfd. 100 105
Pennsylvania 100 105
Solar Refining 375 385
Union Tank Line 100 110

MEN AND MATTERS

J. S. Motter has severed his relations with the Elmer D. Webb company and has entered into partnership with J. W. Green, in the Opera House block, in a general real estate business.

S. M. Fletcher, first assistant sergeant at arms of the legislature, is home for the week-end. Mr. Fletcher states that his first week's experience was full of action and that he likes his job immensely.

D. D. Jones left Saturday for New York City to attend the automobile show.

Paul W. Crawford leaves Sunday for Milwaukee to attend the National Shoe Dealers convention this week.

LIMA LAD TAKES TO CAVALRY

In Letter to Sergeant Long, John Clay Voices Appreciation

A letter received by Sergeant R. H. Long of the local army recruiting office from Private John Clay, is of interest to friends and acquaintances of the sender. The letter reads:

"As you asked me to do when I enlisted at Lima, I am now writing to let you know how I am getting along. I am glad to say that I am pleased and like the army fine so far. They treat us good, our quarters are good and comfortable, and the food is really good and plentiful. I have gained in weight. You know that I enlisted at 13 to attend the army school and learn a good trade. Well, I can truthfully say that I made no mistake, I have found the schools all O. K. as I have written to my father about it. I took a course in blacksmithing and horseshoeing and am now working at the trade. Most of the soldiers are taking special courses to receive training for a life-time trade. Uncle Sam boards and clothes us while sending us to school to better ourselves and if any poor man's son can beat that for getting a better education, I wish he would tell me."

"I honestly believe that the day I joined the army was the most sensible day of my life. Dad thinks so, too, and mother has quit shaking her head. You have done me a great favor."

Clay enlisted at the local recruiting office March 7

GOLDEN WEDDING IS CELEBRATED

Mr. and Mrs. David Hammond
Married 50 Years.

EVENT IN COLUMBUS GROVE

News Resume of Putnam-Co
Village to the North.

COLUMBUS GROVE — Holiday festivities and activities over, city churches will resume their usual Sunday services with increased interest. At the M. E. church, the Brotherhood will have charge of the evening services. At the Presbyterian church the morning preaching service will be followed by the observance of the Lord's supper. In the evening Evangelist Colvin, Columbus, who has been assisting the pastor, the Rev. Ralph Kohr, in services, will deliver his final sermon. At both the Christian and United Brethren churches, pastors will have charge of services.

Mrs. J. H. Hartman of South Broadway, will open her home next Wednesday afternoon for the entertainment of the Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church.

Mrs. Martha Trumbo will be hostess to the Woman's Christian Temperance union at her home on S. Broadway Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Fruehly have moved into the Busche property on N. Broadway, recently vacated by the Sipe and Mr. and Mrs. Milo Wood. Mr. and Mrs. Wood have moved to a farm near Gilboa.

Officers and members of the Midwinter fair will make an extra effort next year to secure a more varied exhibition. In practically only one class that of Shortborns was there a large exhibit of cattle this year. This was probably due to the fact, farmers here, that breed cattle is raised largely around Columbus Grove. The art and needlework departments will also be extended, exhibits lacking there this year. Persons showed up finer than any other class of exhibits. This was the eighth annual fair.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Connell have returned to their home in Columbus after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer R. Day.

Annual meeting of the Columbus Grove Mutual Telephone company was held Saturday afternoon at the office of the company. President, vice president, secretary, treasurer and three members of the board of trustees were to be named.

M. D. Long has been re-elected superintendent of the Methodist Sunday school. Miss Violet Sakata, Mrs. P. S. Sord have been made assistant. Miss Lucille Van Meter is secretary. Miss Helen Smith, assistant secretary. W. E. Morris and C. L. Fuller, librarians. Fred Smith and Eugene Price, assistants. Miss Anna Shumway is pianist and Miss Lucille Starkweather, chorister.

Information received from Prof. Earl M. Combs and his bride is to the effect they are pleasantly located in their new home in Covington, where he is principal of the High school. The wedding of Prof. Combs and Miss Alta Turner was an event of Tuesday, December 28, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner, here.

Earl R. Ruppert, former agent here for the Ohio Electric railway company who had been employed in Toledo, has returned to Columbus and is now employed at the Overbeck factory, Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hammond, who were married fifty years ago, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Friday, surrounded by seven of their eight living children. The aged couple, both of ninety children and have 25 grand-children and four great-grandchildren. An elaborate dinner was served at noon, the afternoon spent socially and dinner was enjoyed in the evening. Children, with their families present were Mrs. Frederick Aab, Mrs. Stelzer and John Hammond, all of Lima; Mrs. Scott, Grand Rapids, Mrs. O. K. Keiser, Detroit; Mrs. Charles Berber, Cleveland, and Mrs. Catherine Miller, Columbus Grove. Mrs. E. S. Ber Toledo was unable to attend.

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A "QUICK ACTION" SALE OF FINE SKIRTS

\$8.95 Value
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—For quick clearance we have selected three groups of Women's Skirts at very reduced prices. They perhaps can not be replaced to sell on the market today for these prices—fashioned of Men's wear Serge, Wool plaids, Silks and Satins in pleated and straightline models and your choice at these three prices.

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Blouses

Made to Sell at \$5.00

\$1.95

—One table of Women's and Misses' Georgette Blouses, embroidered and beaded styles in all wanted shades and sizes and sizes and while they last for \$1.95.—2nd floor.

North Side of Store Being Rebuilt



All Goods in Our Basement
Use South Door Entrance

A Great Remnant Sale!

CURTAIN AND DRAPERY GOODS

—One table piled high with Remnants of all kinds in Curtain goods and draperies—they range in 1/2 yard to 6 yard lengths—beautiful fabrics and while they last at half price—

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1/2 Price!

Dear Madam!
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MEN'S OUTING GOWNS \$1

—Men's fine outing gowns, well made and neatly trimmed in all regular sizes and priced for \$1.00.—Main floor.

MEN'S WORK PANTS \$1.45

—Men's strong work pants in dark colors, well made and in all regular sizes and priced for \$1.45.—Main floor.

BOYS' UNION SUITS 75c

—Boys' fleece lined and grey ribbed union suits, perfect fitting garments and all sizes, priced for 75c pair.—Main floor.

BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS \$4.95

—Boys' school suits in knickerbocker style, dark colors, ideal for school wear and priced for \$4.95.—Main floor.

19c PRETTY SCRIMS 12 1/2c

—Bluebird pattern scrims with lace and insertion will beautify your home and priced for 12 1/2c yard.—3rd floor.

\$6.95 TRAVELING BAGS \$3.95

—18 inch cowhide traveling bags in black only, substantially made and a big value, priced for \$3.95.—3rd floor.

\$4.95 PLAID BLANKETS \$3.19

—64 by 80 inch fancy plaid blankets, cotton, large size in gray, tan, blue and pink and priced at \$3.19 pair.—3rd floor.

\$15.95 FANCY MATTRESS \$10.95

—50 pound stitched all felt mattresses, roll edge, fancy art ticking in blue or tan and priced for \$10.95.—3rd floor.

\$22.50 CONGOLEUM RUGS 16.95

—9 by 12 size, genuine congoleum rugs, gold seal art brand, a big value and very specially priced for \$16.95.—3rd floor.

\$8.95 TIE-BACK SWEATERS \$2.95

—Women's pure silk tie-back sweaters can be worn as a blouse, in black, navy and brown and very specially priced for \$2.95.—2nd floor.

CHILD'S \$1.50 GOWNS FOR 79c

—Children's outing gowns and sleepers, well made and very warm, in all regular sizes, priced for 79c.—2nd floor.

\$2.50 SILK CAMISOLES \$1.49

—Women's silk and satin camisoles, dark and light colors with built-up shoulders and fancy trimmed styles for \$1.49.

CHILD'S \$3.50 SWEATERS \$1.98

—Children's slipover and coat style sweaters in all the popular shades and color combinations in sizes to 34 for \$1.98.—2nd floor.

WOMEN'S HOUSE DRESSES 1.65

—Women's house dresses, broken lots, in ginghams, madras, percale, fitted and loose styles values to \$4.50 and priced for \$1.65.—2nd floor.

\$6.95 SAMPLE SWEATERS \$3.95

—Women's sample sweaters in Tuxedo coat and slipover styles, made of fancy knit yarn in wanted shades and priced for \$3.95.—2nd floor.

WOMEN'S OUTING GOWNS 1.19

—Women's outing gowns in striped or white patterns with or without collars, cut full and long in extra or regular sizes for \$1.19.



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Sensational "Normal Price" Monday Bargains

35c TURKISH TOWELS 15c

—16 by 32 double thread towels, hemmed ends and priced for 15c each.—Basement.

40c INDIA LINON 26c

—fine weave white Indian linon for dainty garments, etc., and priced 26c yard.—Basement.

\$2.25 TABLE CLOTHS \$1.33

—8-4 size good grade mercerized table damask, hemstitched hems, priced \$1.33.—Basement.

\$3.00 BED SPREADS \$1.89

—size 72 by 84 good weight crocheted bed spreads, assorted patterns and priced for \$1.89.—Basement.

STEPHEN LINEN TOWELING 27 1/2c

—pure linen unbleached crash toweling, 16 inches wide and limit 10 yards to a customer, for 27 1/2c yard.—Basement.

35c GLASS TOWELING 24c

—very fine quality, absorbent, in red and blue checks and stripes, priced for 24c yard.—Basement.

98c JERSEY GLOVES 49c

—Women's jersey gloves with two clasps, in all sizes and priced for 49c.—Basement.

CHILD'S 25c HOSIERY 15c

—fine ribbed hose for boys and girls in all sizes, black and cordovan for 15c pair.—Basement.

WOMEN'S 25c HOSIERY 15c

—Women's fine cotton ribbed hose in black only and all sizes and priced for 15c pair.—Basement.

\$1.25 SILK BOOT HOSE 59c

—Women's fine silk boot hose with lisle top, heel and toe in brown, black and white for 59c pair.—Basement.

40c FANCY OUTINGS 21c

—light and dark stripes and checks, 27 inches wide, a big value for 21c yard.

39c PILLOW SLIPS 27c

—made of good quality, soft finish pillow slips, size 42 by 36 and specially priced for 27c.—Basement.

\$1.50 BUNGALOW APRONS 98c

—Women's bungalow aprons, made of scout percales, open front style, also belted in various colors, for 98c.—Basement.

49c ROMPER CLOTHS 32c

—neat striped patterns, 32 inches wide, for children's dresses, etc., and priced for 32c yard.—Basement.

\$3 PLATED TEA KETTLE \$1.97

—medium size heavy grade nickel-plated tea kettles, copper nickel-plated and priced for \$1.97.—Basement.

25c Amoskeag Gingham

BASMENT—A genuine big bargain when we offer the real Amoskeag Apron gingham at this price—comes in assorted light and dark patterns and very specially priced while it lasts for 13 1/2c yard.—Basement.

Hope Bleached Muslin

BASMENT—The real and genuine Hope Bleached Muslin, fine weave and soft finish, yard wide AND A LIMIT OF SIX YARDS TO A CUSTOMER—NO PHONE ORDERS—NONE TO CHILDREN—FOR 14c YARD.—Basement.

81 In. Bleached Sheet

BASMENT—81 inch blackhawk bleached sheeting, known by every house wife as the best—good weight and very serviceable, a limit of 10 YARDS TO A CUSTOMER—everyone can have their share while it lasts at 49c yard.

\$1.00 Storm Serge

BASMENT—Half wool serge, 36 inches wide, in navy, black and red—these are very good for school dresses, etc.—a wonderful value and very specially priced while it lasts for 55c yard.—Basement.

29c Comfort Challie

BASMENT—36 inch cotton challies in floral and Persian design—a fine fabric—a big value and specially priced at 15c yard.

35c Bleached Muslin

BASMENT—Soft finish standard cloth bleached muslin, free from dressing and yard wide—here is another big special in opening this new basement—get your share and specially priced while it lasts for 14 1/2c yard.—Basement.

25c Huck Towels

BASMENT—One lot of 16 by 32 inch fine huck towels, good weight with plain or red borders—this is a real bargain and you surely should be here to supply your wants and very specially priced while they last for 13c each.—Basement.

\$2 PURE SILK HOSE \$1.19

—Women's pure silk hose, full fashioned and reinforced heel and toe for \$1.19 pair.—Basement.

49c FEATHER TICKING 33c

—narrow blue and striped, woven feather proof, a big value and priced for 33c yard.—Basement.

39c FLANNELETTE 23c

—yard wide, well fleeced in dark blue and grey figures patterns at 23c yard.

39c CHEVIOT SHIRTING 24c

—plain blue and striped patterns, 29 inches wide, a big value and priced for 24c yard.—Basement.

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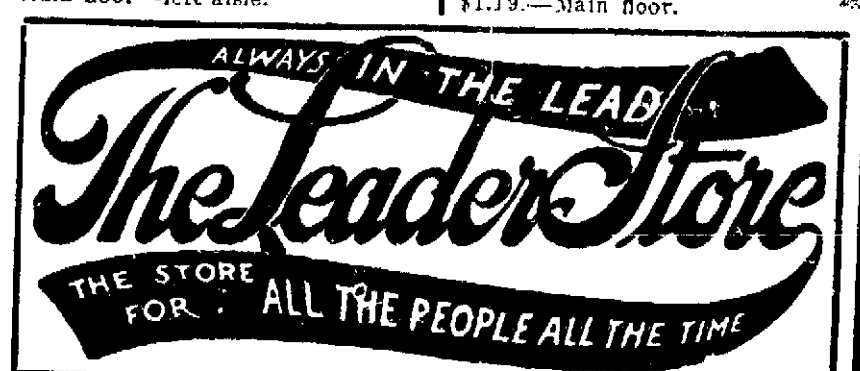
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G. O. P. CONTROL IS NARROWING

Many Have Fallen Out or Have Been Kicked Out

ORGANIZATION IS AIR-TIGHT

Of Course the Faithful Will See Davis Inaugurated

(By J. W. FISHER)

Unless appearance are deceiving and incidents that transpire mean nothing, control of the G. O. P. organization in Allen-co is narrowing, as one after another who faithfully and uncomplainingly for years followed the old machine are cutting loose.

The insurrection began last August, after Harry L. Davis demanded a "new deal" in affairs in this county. The insurgent group grew in numbers surprisingly, but while they were intrepid and pugnacious and stood boldly against the crowd that had ruled with an iron hand and in a "to-hell-with-the-party-in-ternet" manner, they were then not quite strong enough to control the organization of the central and executive committees.

However, biding their time and consuming themselves in patience, the insurgents were content to stand about around the outer edges of the inner ring, picking off a new recruit here and there and so infecting others with the spirit of revolution that the "inner council" was forced to decree their political decapitation in the interest of safety first. In other words, those who dared, by so much as the crook of a finger, to oppose the will of the high elect, were cast into outer darkness.

This casting out process has been going on so rapidly and so many have been alienated from the old air-tight organization that it really begins to appear a new and stronger organization will soon engulf the old. Albert E. Gale and Frank H. Downing may accept this statement as a personal compliment if they desire, but really it looks like there's nothing to it when it comes to control, except Gale-Downing.

You've got to hand it to Albert and Frank. Albert has the city center in his vest pocket and Frank sits on the lid in the county, they say. The throne they've erected in the Holmes block, third floor, rear, may be a tottery old structure, but it's functioning just the same. There's evidence aplenty in that respect. They don't seem to care a tinker's darn if all the faithful are alienated, so long as they two can wield the power to which they have been accustomed, politically.

There's an old story about the pitcher that goes once too often to the well. An incident in connection with the control of the G. O. P. executive committee, of which Gale is the titular head and Downing a high private, makes the story of the broken pitcher applicable to political manipulation. The committee, which is accused with a fatalistic desire to cut out of the hand of the Gale-Downing organization, started out to prevent the appointment of anyone by elective officials save those endorsed by the committee, it is said.

Success attended the determination up to a certain point. Then something happened. Plans went awry for sure after County Commissioner Walter Craig refused to howl the knee to the political potentates and vote in favor of the committee's choice for commissioner clerk, although the endorsed candidate swung under the wire a winner. The real jar came when the committee "failed, refused or neglected" to meet for the endorsement of a certain candidate for assistant which a certain county official-elect insisted on having endorsed.

Since the entry of women into politics, the men must look to their laurels if they would retain the positions they held for so many years before the gentler sex was considered as a factor in the affairs of government.

The successful party in the November election now has a new problem confronting it: the recognition of women in a sphere of equality in the field of office holding. Thus far, there has been no suggestion that women be accorded part of the spoils of the political war—that not until the past few days, but it is now coming out.

Recommendations made thus far by the Allen-co Republican executive and central committees have been confined to the men for positions by appointment, but apparently they are not going to be permitted to go on indefinitely in that fashion.

It is stated that the women's organization of the G. O. P., which did such effective work in the campaign and helped roll up big majorities, is starting a movement in favor of a woman for the position of postmaster of Lima. According to the report in G. O. P. circles, A. E. Gale, chairman of the county organization is an active candidate for the post office plum. While the central and executive committee are considering candidates also for the Spencerville, Delphos and Bluffton offices, it is stated that movements are being launched for women for these places also.

Those local do-gooding Thomases who, a couple weeks ago pooped and snickered derisively when this secular disseminator of facts and opinions stated on certain authority that Governor-to-be-tomorrow Harry L. Davis could not be a candidate for election two years hence, but instead intended entering the lists for preferment as a candidate on the G. O. P. kit—beg pardon, check—for United States Senator to succeed Atlas Pomerene, aren't tickering now.

They're learned that the statement they doubted is true. Now Davis isn't talking much about it now, the fact remains that his political aspirations are growing like a dandelion on a front lawn. And of course, if Harry doesn't "run" for Governor again, somebody else will have to do. That particular person will be Harry Bentley of Lima. That's fixed. Harry will stand for it. But just at present he's indifferent about it. In passing, it might be said that the G. O. P. could look longer and travel farther without finding anyone who would make a more formidable candidate than Harry Bentley.

It is common comment down

WOMAN BOWLING CHAMPION DEFIES SISTERS TO ENTER ENDURANCE CONTEST



Mrs. Leslie Hables.

Mrs. Leslie Hables of King City, Cal., claimant of two world bowling records, has issued a sweeping challenge to women bowlers of the country. She offers to play on any alley for the most number of pins knocked down in games extending over six

days. She has also issued a challenge to any city to play its twelve best women bowlers. Mrs. Hables to play continuously for twelve hours while each one of her opponent bowls one hour each, their total scores to count against her twelve-hour score in total pins.

around Columbus that Davis is seeking a senatorial toga as the next "big kill." It is recalled that two years ago Bentley's name was mentioned in connection with the nomination for Governor and he received unsolicited endorsements from various counties. However, it has been again proven to the satisfaction of Frank Bentley Willis that the people of Ohio didn't want him for Governor and they had to let Frank try it again, with the usual disastrous results to Frank. After which he decided he "didn't care much about being Governor, now."

The Allen-co boys—those not under the thumb of the air-tight organization generally in control, were quick to seize an opportunity to advance the interests of a live wire, hence they hurried to start a real-estate boom for Bentley.

Ye gods and little fishes! Traditions have been trampled in the dust and political images before which the Republicans controlled legislatures have worshipped have been ruthlessly overturned and broken in fragments. But perhaps the damage is not wholly beyond repair and what the brigade down at Columbus has thus far lacked may be made up abundantly a little later as they realize that unless the legislative hopper is filled to the brim with nonsectarian bills they'll not be running true to form.

If the records are correct, only a baker's dozen of bills have thus far been heaved into the legislative millstone. The first is designed to increase the pay of jurors from \$2 to \$3 a day and mileage each way at 10 cents per mile, probably on account of the high cost of living. Professional jurors are not expected to oppose it.

Another seeks to postpone the opening of the hunting season for fur-bearing animals from November 1 to November 15. That would allow the muskrats more time to prepare for death and get their fur in better condition.

One of the really necessary proposals is a law authorizing municipal auditors to issue bonds for deficiencies and operating expenses for 1921, although Auditor Vic Donahay says it's rushing to financial perdition.

A constabulary judiciary ballot law repeated and a city chap wants the use of voting machines made mandatory.

Seeking to shield those who have in their possession net seines and traps, for the illegal taking of fish from Ohio waters, a Washington-co legislator would amend the law making it necessary to prove that such possessions were used in violation before there can be a conviction under the game laws.

Almost without exception, the bills thus far presented seek to take the teeth out of laws now in existence. It's a state of mind that is difficult to fathom.

Tomorrow is the "big day" in Columbus. All the way from major to the little Harry L. Davis is traveling. The story center of political activities in Ohio, otherwise known as Columbus is "all lit up" in anticipation of the big doings to come off.

Nicely worded invitations have been sent out by Chairman George H. Clark to the elect to be there—and they'll be; that is, that contingent of hopefuls who expect thereby to enhance their political progress. The inauguration will take place at 11:30 a. m. and will be a brief affair. It's promised. At 3 p. m. the Governor, in the rotunda of the capitol, will shake hands with all the people who desire, or want to him, after a parade at 1 o'clock.

Those who expect to attend the reception at 7:30 p. m. by the Governor for state officials and visiting county, municipal and federal officers, in the senate chamber, must have a card to gain admission. The inaugural ball will take place at 8:30 o'clock, at Memorial Hall. At 10 p. m., at the Elks club, there'll be a press smoker for the visiting newspaper boys, invitations being issued by the Columbus chamber of commerce. A card'll be needed for this event, also.

Of course Allen-co will be represented at the inauguration. There'll be Colonel Albert E. Gale at the head of the list, as chairman of the Allen-co Republican executive committee; Frank H. Downing, H. E. Simonton, Jesse H. Hamilton, Dr. George Hall, Judge George H. Quist and many a lot of other job holders, former job

NO TESTIMONY IN CRAIG CASE

Further Hearing by Justices Not Held Saturday

No testimony was introduced Saturday at the time set for the resumption of the election contest of W. W. Craig against A. J. Gray and J. W. Thompson. Justices Ernest M. Botkin and E. L. Durbin, who have presided in the case, were ordered not to appear.

Craig is seeking to introduce testimony of judges and clerks in election precincts in the fourth and sixth wards to show that by counting of certain ballots for Gray and Thompson, he was robbed of a place as commissioner for four years. Instead, he secured the short term of two years. Gray and Thompson were certified for four years each.

Probably no more testimony will be introduced, counsel for Gray and Thompson say, until after Judge-elect F. C. Becker assumes the common pleas bench.

He will pass upon a written report of all testimony offered and may order in or hear any other testimony, before announcing decision, which will hardly be before late in the spring.

CHIROPRACTORS SEEK TO HAVE LAWS CORRECTED

The Ohio Chiropractic Association are seeking adequate laws in this state for proper regulation and control of this rapidly growing profession.

Chiropractors have been busy the past few months circulating petitions which would establish a high standard for chiropractic in Ohio and safeguard the rights of the people. This is one of the measures that will be presented very early in the session of the general assembly.

The bill provides for the creation of a Chiropractic Board to examine and license practitioners of Chiropractic; will give a statutory definition for Chiropractic; prescribe qualifications for practitioners of Chiropractic; and provide for the revocation of licenses of violators of the law.

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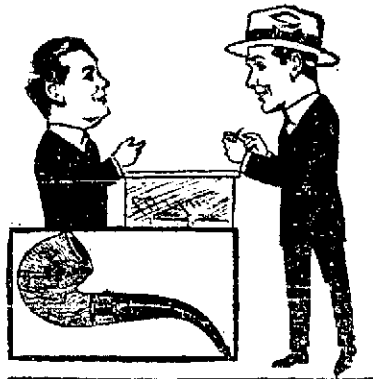
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According to secretary E. A. Englen of the Lima Rabbit and Cavy Breeders' association, the following men from Lima exhibited their stock: Fred Kortier, Vern Ashton, M. C. Cowen, Gran O'Keefe, G. Schaffer and G. E. Thomas.

AMBULANCE REMOVALS

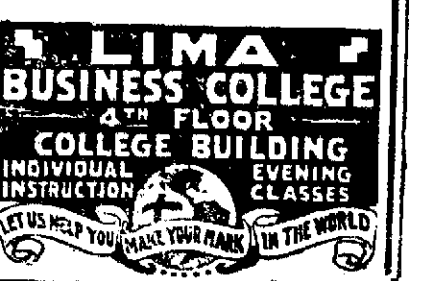
SCHULLER AND FRANK: Harry Dulebohn, 1026 Birch-ave. to St. Rita's hospital. Mrs. George Goes, 659 N. West-st. to St. Rita's.

WILLIAMS AND DAVIS: William Heatwole, St. Rita's hospital to 424 Ewing-ave.



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CHICAGO MAN TO ADDRESS LION CLUB, ON THURSDAY



John Z. White of Chicago, who addresses the Lion Club on Thursday noon, tells a message of vital interest to every tax paying citizen. A special musical program has been arranged by the committee in charge for the Lions and their invited guests.

The subject of the address is to be "The Relation of Taxation to Community Development." White is making a tour of the country, lecturing on the single tax question, of which he is considered one of the greatest exponents in the United States.

White is a thinker who makes his thoughts so plain that a child can grasp it. He was a printer in Chicago in the old days when type was set by hand. He studied law but did not like the practice of it, so he stuck to his trade. Some years ago he was compelled to give up work as a printer because there was such a great demand for his lectures from many parts of the country. His oratory is pleasing and convincing.

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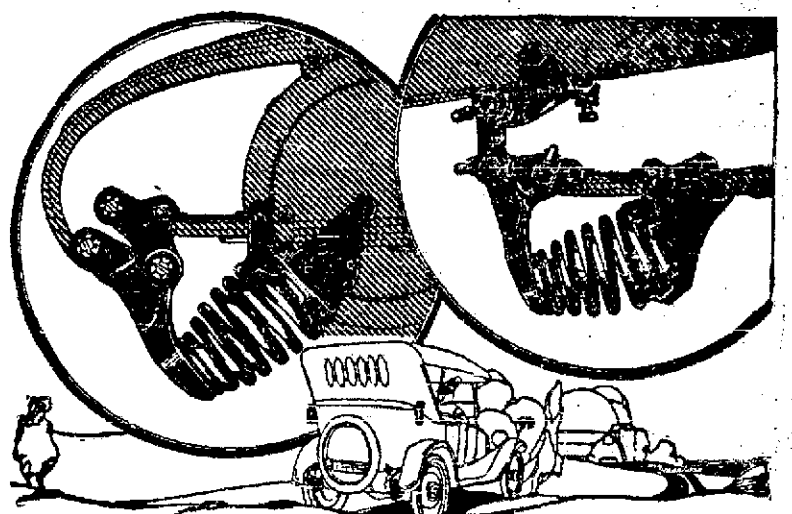


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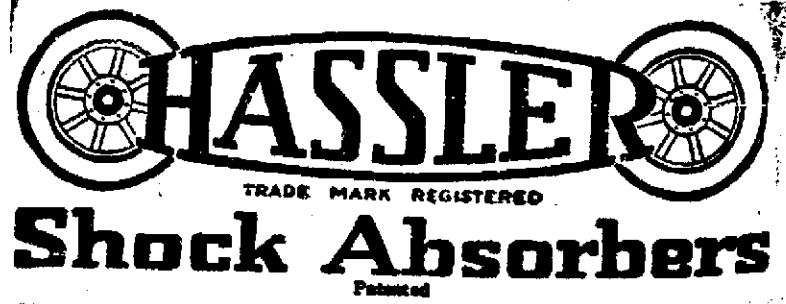
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Figures Tabulated for Five Projects in General Plan.

OFFERS ON BIG CONTRACTS

Nine Contractors in Race For Big Lima Job

Bids received by the service department from nine construction companies for the installation of sewers to be completed during 1921, have been tabulated. Contract No. 3 includes sewers on Central, Wayne and Union-sts, with several small branches. No. 4 includes Jameson, Lincoln, Franklin and Washington-sts and an alley north of Lakewood street. No. 5 starts at Collet and High, proceeds to Baxter-st, then to North, on North to Metcalf. On Jameson street from Brice to Richie and west on Richie to Cole. On Washington from High to Market and on Market from Franklin to Woodlawn. No. 6 is on Madison from Kibby to Harrison and in an alley from Albert to Franklin, running east from Madison. No. 7 is on Union from the end of contract No. 3 to Grand-ave, and on Haller from Main to McConnel.

Following is a list of the bidders and their bids on these separate contracts. Contract No. 3: John W. Payley Construction Co. Chicago, Ill., \$344,531.50; Kavanaugh and De Niro Construction Co., Youngstown, \$250,264.50; Whiting and Turner Construction Co., Baltimore, Md., \$255,979.50.

Contract No. 4: W. J. Irwin and Son, Greenville, \$69,793.00.

Contract No. 5: W. J. Irwin and Son, \$77,321.00; J. F. Cole Construction Co., South Bend, Ind., \$182,532.00.

Contract No. 6: Dick and Plock, Lima, \$21,738.65; Kobbearger and Schmidt, Marion, \$23,512.75; Summers and Hardin Co., Lima, \$25,819.00; F. A. Frobose, Lima, \$25,458.00; W. J. Irwin and Son, Greenville, \$22,958.01. Contract No. 7: W. J. Irwin and Son, Greenville, \$57,683.50; Kavanaugh and De Niro Construction Co., Youngstown, \$68,273.50.

Several of these firms offered bids on different kinds of material. Contracts for these projects are expected to be awarded by the Board of Control within 30 days.

What of 'No Separation' Jury Law When Men and Women Serve?

Lima Men Believe it Should Not Be Cause for Setting Aside Verdict in Court Case

If any excuse can exist for separating jurors over night, when the law says they must not be separated, can you think of a better excuse than that of some of the jurors are men and others women?

The mixed jury system, resulting from woman suffrage, may necessitate a change in the law which forbids separation from the time a case is submitted until a verdict is returned or the jury discharged by the court.

A Cleveland lawyer says a case in point which arose in his city recently will be carried to the supreme court.

On the jury in a criminal case were ten men and two women. They hadn't agreed on a verdict when bedtime came. The court ordered them to retire for the night.

When they reached the hotel, bailiffs found themselves facing a brand new circumstance. Their custom, under the law, had been to put all 12 jurors in the same room over night.

To place the two women in the same room with the 10 men, as required by the letter of the law, was an unthinkable task for the bailiffs or the court. The next best thing was decided upon—one room for the 10 men and another for the two women. Each group was guarded.

Next morning the jury quickly voted a conviction.

But what about the law, old as the hills, prohibiting the separation of jurors after they have begun deliberations?

Counsel for the defense will appeal the case to find out.

In a Ross-co case years ago the Ohio supreme court set aside the verdict of the trial court because one juror separated himself from the other 11 long enough to go to a saloon across the street for a drink of liquor.

In its opinion, the highest court said much about the offending juror having no excuse to absent himself from the others. This speculation about "excuse," according to attorneys, leaves the inference that if the juror had had a good excuse, the decision or opinion might have been otherwise.

It is conceded the Cuyahoga-co court bailiffs had a good excuse for separating the two jurors from the other 10, altho the letter of the law makes no provision for any kind of an excuse.

A widely known Ohio criminal lawyer has ventured the opinion that higher courts will not set aside the verdict on account of separation of women jurors from men over night, provided each group was properly guarded by court officials.

Probate Judge C. F. Becker, who

will assume the duties of the common pleas bench here in February, says, in his judgment, there would be no reason to set aside the verdict because of such separation.

"Separation does not mean to keep apart as we literally take the word," Judge Becker said. "It means to keep the jurors from going about their several vocations and mingling with influences in the outside world."

"Women have won their place to sit on juries and this feature will have to be contended with. I do not see why, even in a test case, the verdict would be set aside," Judge Becker declared.

Representing Attorney E. T. Lippincott is of practically the same opinion. Lippincott said, "It should not be cause for setting aside a verdict. I am in favor of having women for jury service and if I should lose even the most important case because of separation over night of jurors, I should not feel it would be cause to appeal the case to a higher court," he stated.

Lippincott declared that before very long women jurors will not be uncommon in Allen-co and that they will be more available, because of their ability to get away and assume such duties, he believes.

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DAVIS IS TO FACE MANY PROBLEMS

New Governor's Lot is Not to Be Bed of Roses.

FEW PERSONALLY KNOW HIM

Governor Cox and Auditor Donahy Retire Monday.

(BY MARCUS)

COLUMBUS — As comes the hour for a change in the office of Governor of Ohio, reviews and prospects of men's definite mode of marking the transition of power. This will be agreed, is something more than an ordinary change, for a party is to be displaced, and then important policies are to change and finally the inauguration on Monday will end the longest tenure in the history of the state. Thus the handing of authority from James M. Cox to Harry L. Davis carries its own opportunities for reflection. In leaving public station at this time, Cox is regarded by many analysts as the most fortunate of the two. Davis assumes a large number of party and personal liabilities in public life, springing in part from the character of his primary nomination and in part from the nature of the canvass that terminated in his election. He is in the making, so far as Ohio is concerned and hundreds and thousands of the citizens whose chief magistrate he is to be will not even know his name. The knowledge of him possessed by many others will be confined to the incidental things they learned in the canvass and to the fact that he is a member of the Republican party. The politically-minded know now as much as can well be learned, but the information thus comparatively small coterie possesses is not likely to diffuse itself thru the community, because, as it falls out, there are reasons why a goodly percentage of those in political activity do not wish to communicate what they know. Hence it is that Ohio may be said to be getting ready to make acquaintance of Mr. Davis. The problem of the man whom they are to learn to know is for Mr. Davis himself. His supporters say that they never expect to get acquainted with the former mayor of Cleveland, because this is a character not to be re-assumed by him while he is a resident of the capital as Governor. The real individual they are to know continues a mystery.

Without regard to party or prejudice or knowledge of the Davis who was mayor of Cleveland during the transition from its period of "a city on a hill" to a center pestered by every form of crime and political and moral degeneracy, Davis deserves the support of every Ohioan. This much is the constant expression of every patriotic person in Ohio and has been iterated and reiterated by those who are preparing to turn the government over to him on Monday. These men have sought in every possible way to aid him, preparing a sensible state budget and in all ways making the pathway as smooth as it could be made. No expression in recent months brought as large an expression of favor as the denunciation of "political sabotage" and this must be kept in mind in Columbus as well as in Washington. The lesson is well needed by all men of whatever faith, for public officials in these days face problems.

Not much has been done to undermine the confidence of people in

government — largely in the way of campaign assaults of extremely questionable propriety — that will be many months — may years — before there can be recovery from the byproducts of hate. It is even possible that those who sang the farewell hymns may themselves be the first victims of the evil passions aroused. Revolutionaries have experienced that sort of thing in times past and the examples of more modern times are not wanting. To repair the damage done is the first duty and the inviolable forces and processes by which is Myron says, "Time at last makes all things even," will attend to the rest. For the leaders of action and of thought there is naught to do but to hold hands of authority, it is a sacred task and many times, real zeal will be needed and called for.

The promises that are out under the incoming Davis administration, in particular, will be developed as the legislative session goes along, but has been introduced thus far may not reflect these obligations. Again it may be the new Governor's good fortune to have left many promises in the nature of indefinite moral obligations rather than in the form of specific pledges, the former being easily set aside and the latter being far more difficult to deal with. The real aspect of the commitments will be known by what the backers for Davis say when it is all over. In this way was learned for a first time the pledges that were out in the case of a one-term Governor of the present decade in political life, the ever-changing hum-drum of all comes out in the wash, the honest expression showing that one forebears, too, know a thing or two.

But to return to the original proposition, Mr. Cox is a lucky man to lay down the burdens of office at this time. The coming years are not likely to be interesting in state legislation. The federal government encroaches upon the states and the means of checking the encroachment is uncertain. The public temper is uncertain. Industrial troubles are feared, but may not be dealt with on the morally persuasive grounds which Governor Cox found so effective. Selfish interests are seeking to borrow the workmen's compensation law and turn back the hands of progress. Various propositions that are positively near the graft stage are shamelessly pushed forward and there is a lethargy in the public regard by profiteers and disloyalists that is hard to comprehend. More than that, the voice of the job-hunter is heard in the land more raucously than for two decades. The kind of men who merely want places on the payroll are coming forward in battalion formation and in solid phalanxes.

The record of the Cox administration is made and a review of it in the last message transmitted is part of the state documentary history. The story has been told and the completed accomplishment is hung up for public inspection. The verdict on it may be read in expressions of the state in newspapers, comments and in what cause the state pursues in the coming months. With the fiscal disposition of the architect must be satisfied. That is one of the penalties of the public service. So far as the last legislative message was concerned, it drew from men of opposite political faith much favorable comment, a surprising sum total. It will be studied with care, before many questions are finally settled and comparison with the new program to be offered on Monday will be inevitable.

Laying down his office at the same time with Governor Cox will be Auditor of State A. V. Donahy, late candidate for Governor and possibly return candidate. He ends eight years of service, during which time he has transformed the department from an inefficient bookkeeping bureau to one which actually audits.

Many and varied persons will echo that sentiment with an "I'll-try-it-when I do." The biggest reform which he installed was to require that vouchers go thru his department first, thereby ending the cashing of vouchers. In eight years he clipped off upwards of half a million dollars and he frightened many a man who yielded to temptation and was inclined to run something thru that was subject to question in the Cox administration there has not been a defalcation of any kind and the retiring Governor is generous enough to give some share of the credit for this to his auditor. Fighting battles together, the two officials came to be warm friends. Donahy left with his work practically completed and with a list of reports from which reorganization experts derived not a little of their information.

There is the keenest satisfaction that the place is to be turned over to Joseph T. Tracy of Portsmouth, who is expected to follow in Donahy's footsteps in giving comprehensive and fair reports of public affairs while actually auditing bills. If there is one place that will attract attention aside from the Governor's office, it is that of the Auditor's. Tracy has four years ahead of him and anything that any other official may do or say should swerve him from his course and nothing will. He had some of his training under his predecessor and he knows what is demanded. The office is far easier to run now that folks are not used to special privileges in that sanction. Of course, there will be a drive on Tracy but when he has withstood it, the new ways will come to be the accepted course. Tracy knows that he is not the sort of man who will resort to jugglery of accounts. Those old days are gone.

With less friction than seemed possible the committee assignments have been filled up in both branches of the general assembly about a week earlier than has been customary in organizations. That, however, does not mean much because nothing can be expected until the rub-bish of an inauguration is cleared up. Business cannot be expected for a week and legislation depends

more largely upon quality than upon time. The dominant faction succeeded in giving Rud M. Hyatt of Cincinnati, a few kicks in parting and aimed a brick or two at the Governor hitting him with infallible aim. In the senate lynx-eyed servers already see the dawning of a struggle between the factions with William E. Halley, senate clerk, leading on the one side, and Governor Harry L. Davis the other. This old friend of humanity said weeks ago that if Davis appointments do not suit the Halley crowd they may be held up and the gossip in detail seems to confirm this report. It may be noted that Hyatt's appointments are especially subject to a large question mark when they come up stairs.

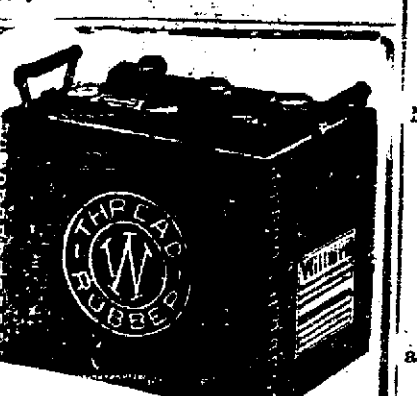
The individual who has the notion on voting machines in Dayton lost no time in getting into action. He has his bill presented by the venerable Spidel. In capitol quarters it was pronounced what the ministers called a "lollapalooza" which means that it was full of all sorts of funny business. If the general assembly passes it, and infuriated taxpayers learn what has really been done with their money, things will be interesting, to say the very least. It contemplates, does this voting machine bill that the supreme court will fall all over itself to reverse its previous decree: votes by ballot. Then it demands dependence in voting with the device for straight ballots. It wants citizens to pull levers — not think. It finally provides for expenditure of money on petition without a vote and merely at the whim of those who do the buying. With this act thru the General Assembly, service no large county election board should be sold to highest bidder because it would be too much to take a salary along with those magnificent opportunities.

After the Miami conservancy district officials have signified their willingness to have the Auditor of State examine all the accounts of the district, it may be assumed there will be but little quibbling over the bill by Representative George E. Matthews, of Soloto, to bring the district formally under the accou-

review of the auditor, instead of under the district directors. The latter reason for the halting of legislation two years ago has never been explained, but the explanation is simple enough. The Socialists have in the past seized upon this issue in Dayton and the men who started the work were unwilling to have anything occur that might interfere with their completion. The examination may go until the quizzers are good and well satisfied for the enemies of the plan can do nothing now. The success of the conservancy project will be established when high waters come and resolutions and reports would be but poor protection against repetition of the 1912 disaster. Selah!

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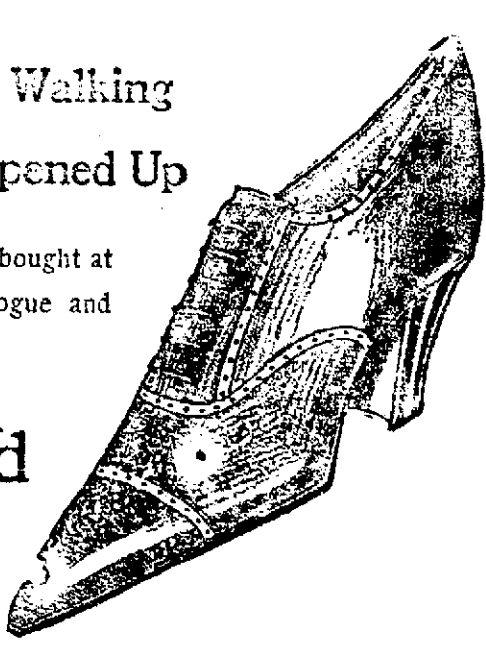
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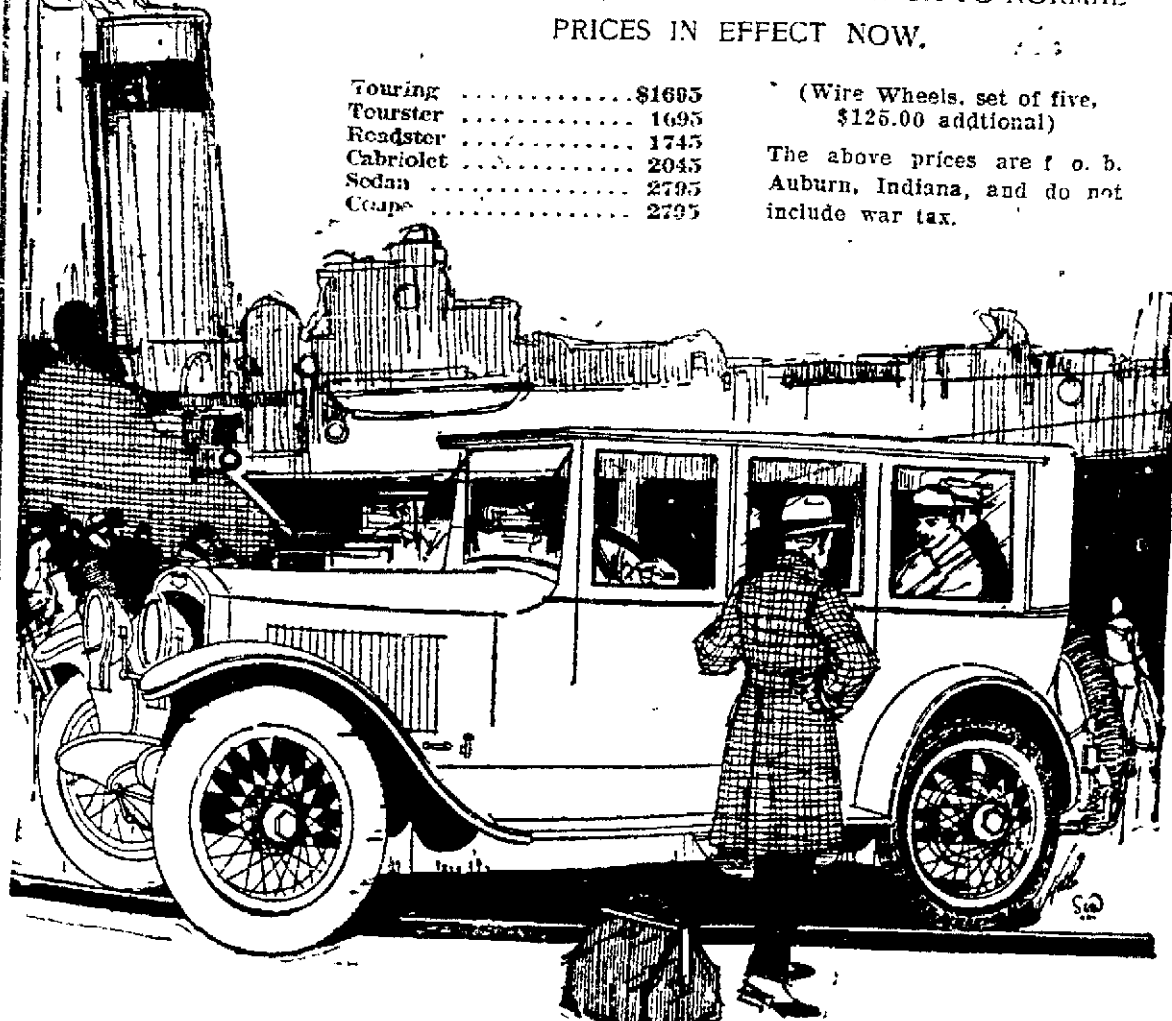
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Immediate Clearance Prices On Womens' and Misses' Coats

Every one of our Coats for Women and Misses has been reduced regardless of former prices and now you can buy them at less than actual cost to us. IMMEDIATE CLEARANCE MUST BE MADE and this is the surest way to do it. They are all from our regular stocks, made by leading New York tailors of women's fine garments. Every Coat is fully guaranteed by us and will prove reliable in every way. Styles are the newest, fabrics and colors the best. Every woman and miss who can use another coat should be at The Big Store Monday for these phenomenal values. Every size from 16 to 44½ in each lot.

(Second Floor—Ready-To-Wear Dep't.)

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Cloth and Plush Coats of finest quality. Heavily fur trimmed collars and cuffs of raccoon, opossum, squirrel, and ringtail. Included are cloth sport models with silk or leather linings.

\$29.50 Coats

Long Wrappy Coats with shawl collars—many have collars and cuffs of fur. Colors include Copen, blues, tans, browns, blacks, etc. Elegant in appearance—durable and warm.

\$44.00 Coats

Short Plush Coats with large shawl collars, sport coats of fine, heavy Scotch mixtures with large raccoon collars. These coats have fine silk linings.

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Plush, Cloth and Buckswade Coats in short and long styles. Many are fur trimmed. Think of buying such elegant coats for this low price—and fully guaranteed.

\$34.00 Coats

Made from high grade Plushes and Cloth fabrics. Including blue and grey chinchillas and buckswades of tan and brown. Many have fur collars and cuffs. The best possible \$34 values.

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' RAINCOATS HALF-PRICE

All silk, in stripes and plaids. Belted models. Rubber lined and guaranteed. \$35 values at \$17.50.

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Odds and ends of Coats formerly selling at many dollars more. They are good heavy mixtures and don't forget The Deisel Co. guarantee or satisfaction covers them.

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For women and misses. Made from Beacon Blankets. All the good color shades, special... \$4.98

Sweater Coats

For women and misses. All the good styles and shades. Formerly sold at \$9 to \$11.75, Special... \$7.65

Women's Sweaters

In slipover and coat styles—made from good grade wool yarns in pretty colors. "V" necks—special... \$3.79

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Made of good grade satine—Colors are blues, purple, green and black, specially priced \$1.98 AND \$2.98

January Sale Prices for Phoenix Hosiery Final Reductions Go In Effect Tomorrow

Buy Your Phoenix Hosiery for Spring Now. Lowest Prices in Years. Women's and misses' pure silk Phoenix Hose in black, brown, Russia calf, navy and white. All fully guaranteed. On sale on Main floor. Note the big price reductions.

\$1.35 Pure Silk PHOENIX HOSE

\$1.10

\$1.80 Pure Silk PHOENIX HOSE

\$1.45

\$2.35 Pure Silk PHOENIX HOSE

\$1.95

\$2.80 Pure Silk PHOENIX HOSE

\$2.35

\$4.50 Pure Silk PHOENIX HOSE

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36 in. Indian Head Fully bleached Exceptional value

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Two Specials in Navy French Serge ALL WOOL

40 in. fine weave \$2.50 value for 50 inch heavy grade, \$2.98 value

\$1.69

\$1.98

36 inch Percales Light and dark grounds, 45c value for

25c

Six Specials in Black Silks--Monday

36 inch Black Satin, yard, \$1.69
36 inch Black Satin, yard, \$2.69
36 inch Black Satin, yard, \$2.98

36 inch Black Satin, yard, \$3.98
40 inch Black Satin, yard, \$3.98
40 inch Black Satin Crepe, \$4.48

Monday We Start a Great Sale of Richelieu Canned Goods

These are the Highest Grade Canned Goods Packed Our Special Prices are Below Today's Wholesale Quotations

4 Cans Richelieu Corn 30c grade

97c

4 Cans Richelieu Succotash 30c grade

97c

5 Cans Peas, 25c grade

97c

5 Cans Spinach, 25c grade

97c

Assorted Case Special

6 Richelieu Corn \$1.80
6 Richelieu Peas \$1.50
3 Richelieu Kidney Beans 60c
3 Richelieu Kraut 60c
3 Richelieu Succotash 90c
3 Richelieu Green Beans 90c

TOTAL \$6.30

24 Cans Richelieu Vegetables

\$4.95

5 Cans Tomatoes 25c grade

97c

6 Cans Kidney Beans 20c grade

97c

6 Cans Kraut 20c grade

97c

8 Cans Soup 20c grade

97c

AUBURN Beauty-SIX

The Auburn Beauty-SIX has been created to satisfy the demand for beauty, power and comfort at reasonable cost. In its graceful design, roominess, and ease of control, the Auburn Beauty-SIX represents the final success of twenty years of motor car manufacture.

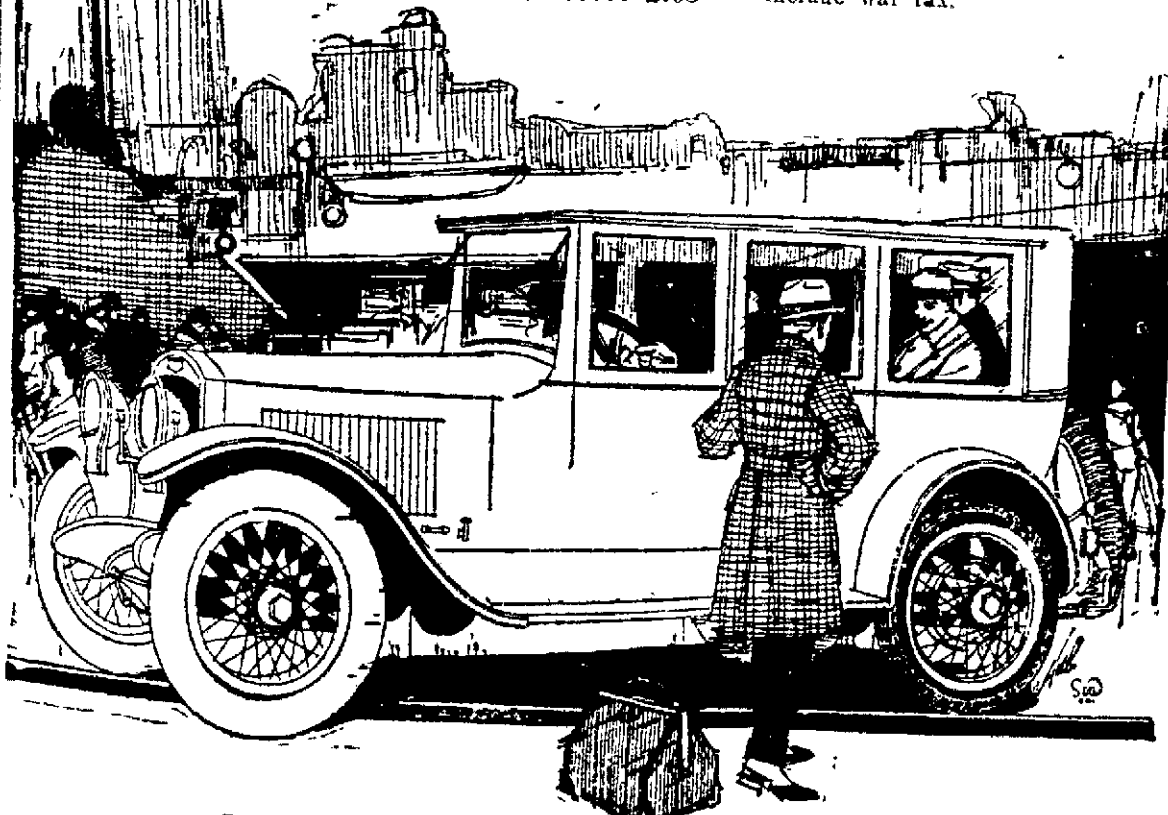
The Auburn all-weather Sedan affords luxury and comfort in unpleasant weather, and open car freedom on fair days.

THIS IS A LIST OF OUR NEW BACK-TO-NORMAL PRICES IN EFFECT NOW.

Touring \$1605
Roadster 1695
Cabriolet 1745
Sedan 2045
Coupe 2795

(Wire Wheels, set of five, \$126.00 additional)

The above prices are f.o.b. Auburn, Indiana, and do not include war tax.



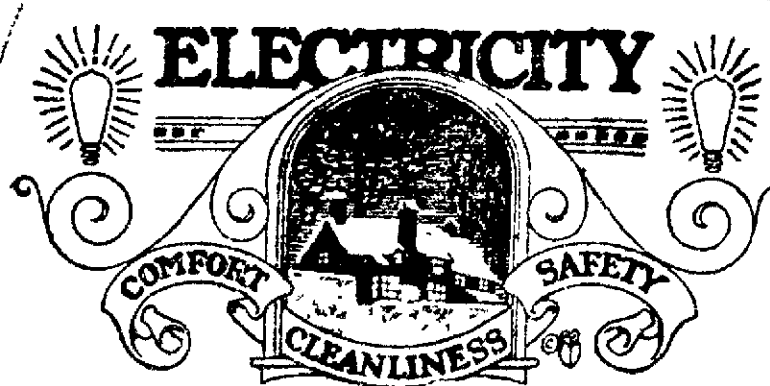
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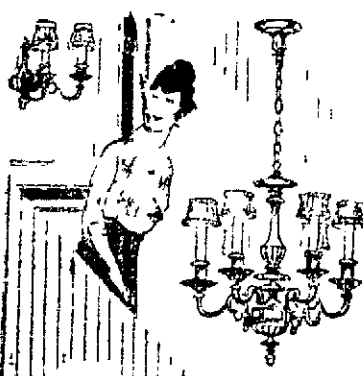


When Wentworth-Dean does it, it's right. Add to your home that touch of distinction that craves in electrical fixtures and appliances gives. Next time call on and you'll get more than ordinary service.

CRYSTAL ELECTRIC WASHER

Efficiency personified. It is the only human in its operation. True to its name, it gives the most delicate laundry.

\$15 puts a Crystal in your home. Phone for details. Location of our display room.



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We build harmony into your home with the new design lighting fixtures. It does make a difference where you get them. Wentworth-Dean quality fixtures are no higher in price than haphazard selections.

AMERICAN BEAUTY IRONS

This famous iron has given more satisfaction, more comfort in its use, than any other electric iron made. Why? Because it has exclusive patent features that are unapproachable. Try it. You will like it.



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ELECTRIC CO.

211 W. High St.

Call Main 2631

ELECTRICITY IS RAPIDLY REPLACING OTHER FUELS IN RESIDENCES OF LIMA

Convenience and Cleanliness Far Overshadows the Slight Additional Cost

The electrically equipped home has long since been styled as the modern home. As fast as the household became thoroughly acquainted with new appliances they too, came new styles. Electricity as a fuel is now rapidly taking the place of other fuels for cooking and heating.

Many people have a mistaken idea that electricity is expensive to use for fuel purposes. The same was said of the handy electric iron and the toaster. Yet today the cost of operation of the handy home appliances are so small in their usefulness and convenience. Such will be the case with those who use electricity for cooking. The convenience and cleanliness will far overshadow the slight cost.

NEW ELECTRICAL STORE

Among those who are familiarizing the public with the many benefits of electricity is a new equipment store that is doing its part towards the progress of the city. The Household Electric Company, owned and operated by two young electricians, is located at 112 South Elizabeth street. It is one of the most modern and up-to-date stores of its kind in the city. They have everything in the electrical line for the home, catering to the housewife exclusively. The quality of the merchandise is of the highest and the prices and standards by which this store is conducted are worthy of patronage. Their motto is Courtesy and Service at all times.

TERMS VERY FEW PEOPLE UNDERSTAND ABOUT ELECTRICITY

Since electricity is not a substance which adds weight or size to the wire through which it flows, much uncertainty frequently is found among users of electricity in defining its measurements. The average housewife is puzzled when the terms volt, ohm and ampere are found on the motors of her washer and she is not at all satisfied that she correctly understands what a 60 watt lamp means, or how she is paying for kilowatt hours used.

The principal terms used in measuring and distributing electricity are the names of pioneers in the electrical field. Thus the volt named after Volta, is the unit of electrical pressure, the ampere, named after Andre Marie Ampere, is the unit which measures the amount of the flow of electric current, etc.

Ampere was born in Lyons, France, a little over a century ago. All his life he worked over experiments in electricity. The chief source of Ampere's fame as his researches in the field of electro-dynamics, of which he was the father.

To get an idea of just what an ampere is, let us turn again to the garden hose. With the faucet closed the water is dormant. It is locked up and can not escape. When you turn the faucet the water comes out. There may be very little pressure back in the hose and you get only a feeble flow of water. You always have been able to measure this water pressure. It is measured by a gauge in pounds per square inch.

Now electricity flows in exactly the same way, except that it does not run through a pipe. It flows through a wire, or as the electricians say, through a conductor, which is generally a wire of soft copper because of its high conductive qualities. This means that it sort of helps the electricity along and does not retard its flow, like iron would. Electricity is turned on or on just like water. It is measured by a meter which shows the sum of the amperes and volts. The rate of flow of the water is measured by the number of gallons per minute or hour. The flow of electricity per second is called an ampere. Of course Marie Ampere had nothing in the world to do with an ampere but the fathers of electricity called this unit after him to honor the memory and achievements of a man who worked so hard to understand what many people now know about electricity.

STOVELETTE LATEST ADDITION TO HOME COOKING EQUIPMENT

Meals cooked at the dining table are an accepted fact. Electric grills have made them possible. Roasting, baking, grilling, boiling, stewing, frying may be carried on at table now, within certain limits, on grills equipped with ovenettes and a whole paraphernalia of pans. One of these grills, minus the ovenette, may still be termed an accomplished stovelette, for it has added an egg cup pan, double heating elements of the open coil type between which toast can be browned; it also includes a small waffle iron among its mechanical accessories.

The stovelette is only six inches high with steel frame supporting the heating elements. It has a reflector or giddle pan, deep square aluminum pan, a shallow pan poaching pan, broiler and the little waffle iron made of aluminum with small handles. Eight minutes are required to heat it after which it will make two waffles 2 3/4 by 5 inches in about four or five minutes.

Factory Expert Here!

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YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD.

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FACTORY EXPERT

WILL SHOW YOU ALL ABOUT THE FEDERAL WASHER WITH POSITIVELY NO OBLIGATION ON YOUR PART.

See This Wonderful Washer

Why Throw Away \$268.40 Every Year?

THE 12 BIG FEDERAL FEATURES

1. Beauty and durability
2. The oscillating tumbler washing action. (Wave-like action.)
3. Gravity groove—the dirt settles in it
4. Glass water gauge.
5. Absolutely safe — all moving parts enclosed.
6. Roto-Phor wringer—locks in the 3 working positions.
7. A dependable safety wringer release.
8. "Three-in-One" Wringer control.
9. Push-button switch "built-in"
10. Clutch to start and stop washing
11. Vulcanized cord belt drive — no jamming gears—protects motor
12. Oversize motor, one-quarter horsepower

—Here Are the Figures

Laundress at \$3.50 per week (52 weeks)	\$182.00
Carfare at 40c per week (52 weeks)	5.20
Two meals at 30c each (52 weeks)	31.20
Clothes worn out by washboard or old style washing machine in one year	50.00
Total in one year	\$268.40
Average cost per month	22.36

—The FEDERAL WASHER does the average family washing in one hour at a cost of only two or three cents for electricity. Think of the saving.

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204 NORTH MAIN

YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD.

We Have a Wonderful Assortment of

Hanging Lamps

At Greatly Reduced Prices

A BEAUTIFUL VARIETY OF PATTERNS AND SHAPES

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If you've never seen the Edon you haven't seen the most perfect, efficient and economical washer made. Come in tomorrow and watch the demonstration. It will amaze you.

Why You Will Buy an Edon—

- It washes clothes CLEAN.
- It reverses every sixth revolution. Your clothes will not knot.
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- All machine parts are enclosed.
- It has a sediment groove to carry away the dirt.
- So simple that a child can operate it.
- Has revolving wringer that locks.



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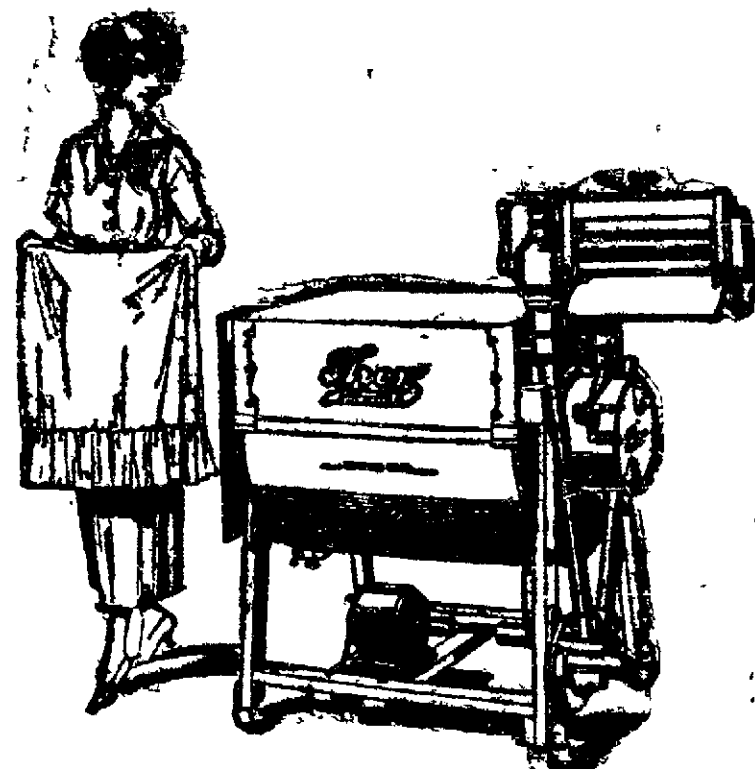
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HORROR CHAMBER IS CLOSED

Income Tax Quiz Was Nightmare
For Many Persons

DELINQUENTS CALLED IN

Scores Remember With a Shudder
Room in Federal Building

There's a particular room on the second floor of the federal building which, if its walls could but speak and its plan furniture tell tales of occurrences there, would relate instances of comedy and drama, of laughter and pathos.

For many years it was the chamber of horrors; for others merely the means afforded them to pay the tribute exacted by the government for their success as citizens of the greatest republic on which the sun has ever shined and the finest country on earth.

After a month of intensive employment, the "chamber of horrors" is once more just an ordinary room, like others on the same floor of the federal building. No longer are lines of pale faced persons seen standing about in the hallway, with hands tremble and beads of cold perspiration standing out on their brows, awaiting their turn to face the government representative in charge of Department of Internal Revenue, to explain various and sundry discrepancies, oversights and mistakes in their last year's income tax returns.

DELINQUENTS QUIZZED
During the month of December, the "delinquent period," scores and hundreds were called in. Beginning late in November the returns are checked up on incomes of individuals for the past year as they are submitted and compared with the reports from Washington headquarters filed there by the corporations, firms and companies by which the various persons are employed.

Altho fewer mistakes are made now than when the income tax was new and understood by few, the fact that hundreds of people in Lima and environs failed to make proper returns in some detail or other evidences the fact that filling out of tax blanks has not yet become a mechanical operation or even a commonplace task, to be quickly disposed of.

Discrepancies discovered in personal returns when checked with reports made by employers are due to various oversights, among which may be noted failure to list bonuses, raises in salaries, mistakes in adding in back pay. And the greatest of these is bonuses, in internal revenue men say.

When discrepancies in the two

cold of reports are found, a very formal notice is forthwith dispatched to the taxpayer, advising him that "the internal revenue collector has directed an investigation of your income for the year 1919, and requests the receiver to call between certain fixed hours and make explanation."

On some of the blanks sent out a section from the revenue law of 1918 is quoted, it says in part that anyone who wilfully attempts in any manner to defeat or evade the tax imposed shall be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both.

Very few persons, those in charge of the "chamber of horrors" believe, endeavor to evade the tax in any way, but even the clearest conscience goes into the room rather shakily and frightened with visions of some horrible flagrant mistake it has made in its returns and there are visions of \$10,000 fine and Leavenworth.

But it's all over now. Lima people are breathing easier, for when they admitted to the revenue men their errors they were merely asked to fill out a blank and write a check for an amendment tax covering the amount left unpaid. Discrepancies

locally were not large, save in a few cases.

Many Lima people don't like the looks of the federal building, since their experience there with the officers of the quaking heart is gone and they do not care to recall the few delinquent dollars they were required to pay as a penalty for forgetting.

TWO PLEAD GUILTY TO
DRUNKENNESS; FINED

Two men, both pleading guilty to drunkenness, told Judge Jackson in criminal court Saturday morning that they had become intoxicated on Jamaica Ginger.

Henry Shaffer, 33, of Belmont, was arrested by Detectives Crisberry and Kipker at Memorial Hall. He was fined \$15.

Ben Althoff, 30, who police say is an habitual, was fined \$25 and sentenced to serve a 30-day sentence in city prison.

COLUMBUS—The budget for Ohio State University for the next two years calls for \$31,129,616 for salaries from 1921 until 1923; \$130,000 for labor, and \$1,051,032 for maintenance.

SOON AFTER TAKING HYPO-COD HE GOT OUT OF BED AND WENT TO WORK FEELING FINE

Appetite and Strength Returned—
Constipation Troubles
Relieved

READ THIS MAN'S
STATEMENT BELOW

"I suffered from a thoroughly rundown condition. I was always tired and had no ambition to do anything. I had taken many medicines, having doctored for years, but with no success and naturally I had become discouraged. My stomach gave me a great deal of trouble and I had trouble keeping anything on my stomach. I was terribly constipated and it got so that only very strong physics would have any effect. I was down on my back in bed and the doctor's medicine wasn't doing me much good when I decided to give Earle's Hypo-Cod a trial. The tonic my wife had previously given our little girl that was in a delicate condition and under a doctor's care and had proven such a good medicine. She bought three bottles and I commenced taking it at once and my stomach that always seemed sore was soothed by the action of

Hypo-Cod and gradually my appetite returned. I was soon able to return to my work which is watchman and I do not have to use my glasses now for my eyes do not water as they did before and I feel better all over. Have started to gain strength. Can eat anything that comes my way now and I feel no after effects from the ailments mentioned above.

"I certainly endorse Hypo-Cod. It's the greatest health builder there is and anyone suffering as I have should use it and take it as directed. It relieved me in such a short time. Any person in doubt about Hypo-Cod should write to me and I will tell them what it has done," declared Matthew W. Parks, 2916 E. 94th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

Surely if you are in need of a real good, modern and up-to-date tonic you will give this tonic, that druggists, chemists, experts and thousands of users assert is so good, a thorough trial. Drop in at the drug store tonight and read the formula on a bottle. Ask your druggist about it, then take home a bottle or two and see how nicely and quickly it does the work.

Earle's Hypo-Cod is sold here by all good druggists and the leading druggists in all nearby towns.—Ad.

25% REDUCTION 25%

On All Apparel Not Otherwise Reduced

All Dresses—All Kimonos—All Bath Robes—All Corduroy Robes—All Party Dresses—All Skirts

All Furs — All Fur Coats — All Muffs, Etc.

A Great Clearance of Blouses

200 High-Class Blouses

Formerly Selling at \$12.95 to \$25.00



Monday
Only

YOUR CHOICE!

\$7⁹⁵

GEORGETTES—DRESS TRIMMED—CREPE DE CHINE—
FRINGE TRIMMED—TRICOULETTES—BRAID TRIMMED—
OVER BLOUSES—SUIT BLOUSES—COSTUME BLOUSES

Colors: Flesh—White—French Grey—Ivory—French Blue—Peach—Scarlet—Brown
Taupe—\$12.50 to \$25.00 Values—All sizes.

Early Choosing Insures Best Selections!

100 Fine Dress SKIRTS

Values
to
\$15.00

\$5⁹⁵

Newest Styles! Wonderful Values!

The colors are chiefly Navy and Black, besides a handsome choice of popular new shades—fashioned of WOOL SERGE—SILK FAILLIE—WOOL POPLIN and SILK POPLIN—The styles are all of this season's latest dictations—For value they have no equal—There's both regular and extra sizes.

Be Here Monday!



Smart Coats

For Misses and Young Women

In Fashionable Suedine! Smartly Tailored!

Monday Special

\$29⁷⁵

Former Values \$49.50 to \$55.00

These Coats are fashioned with large Cape or Stole Collars—lavishly embellished with embroidery—Juster sizes—13 to 19—Misses sizes, 14 to 20—In the season's most fashionable colors—including Nanking—Beaver—Reindeer—Navy—Brown—and Taupe. They are without doubt the very best values we have shown since "1914"—For fit and drape they compare most favorably with higher priced Coats—You have never seen better Coats for the money.

A Genuine Bargain!

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE OF COATS

You have no excuse to offer now for not having a nice warm winter coat, but if you have waited until now to buy one, you should consider yourself very lucky.

It is our fixed and unalterable policy to carry no merchandise over from one season to another—EVERYTHING MUST BE SOLD REGARDLESS OF THE PRICE IT TAKES TO SELL IT.

In This Lot
Are
13 Coats

\$5

Formerly Selling
— to —
\$19.95

In This Lot
Are
8 Coats

\$10

Formerly Selling
— to —
\$24.95

In This Lot
Are
21 Coats

\$15

Formerly Selling
— to —
\$39.95

In This Lot
Are
10 Coats

\$30

Formerly Selling
— to —
\$69.95

\$200.00
FUR COATS ... \$143.75 | \$175.00
FUR COATS ... \$138.00 | \$135.00
FUR COATS ... \$86.25

All Sales are FINAL
D. I. BROUSSEAU CO.
116 W. Market St. Next to Orpheum Theatre
No Refunds or Exchanges

50 More of Those

\$59.50 to \$79.50
Fur Trimmed

Plush Coats

Monday Special!



\$39⁷⁵

The Greatest Plush Coat Values Possible

Fashioned of fine Salt's Peco Plush, and lined throughout with Fancy Silk Linings—Large, deep shawl collars of Black Opossum—Australian Opossum—Ringtail Opossum—Natural Raccoon and Natural Jap Fox make these coats to be desired by the most fashionable dressers. Some of the Coats in this special group have Fur Cuffs—Each Coat is cut full so that it can be worn loose or with belted back—Lengths vary from 36 to 40 inches—Every size from 16 to 46.

Come Early Monday Morning!

One Lot of

50 COATS

For Misses and Women

Made to Sell at \$29.75 to \$55

We have just added 50 more higher priced Coats to our \$15.00 group—Fine fabric Coats—some fully lined—Monday you choose from Velours, Zibelines, Kerseys and Novelties in such desirable colors as Navy, Brown, Green, Tan, Black Burgundy and Copen. All sizes.

Hurry! Hurry!

\$15

Children's
Coats!

HALF PRICE

It's to your advantage to hurry here while this Half Price Sale of Children's Coats is still in effect. There's a coat here for every girl from 2 to 16 years—some half lined—some fully lined—made of the finest fabrics—many "WOOL-TEX" Coats to choose from.—HALF PRICE.

ALL SUITS

HALF PRICE

Tremendous reductions have been made on our entire line of fine tailored suits, offering beautiful, exclusive models at exactly HALF PRICE. Every suit is a smart, authentic, fashionable model and the materials are those most in favor—a complete range of colors—both plain and fur trimmed styles—sizes for Misses and Women.

Best Values!

DRASTIC REDUCTIONS On All Coats, Suits, Dresses and Other Apparel.

R. T. GREGG & CO.

"Style Without Extravagance"

NEWS FROM NEAR BY TOWNS

WAPAKONETA

By EARL J. FISHER

Mrs. G. A. Kohler and daughter Mary Margaret of Springfield were guests at the regular meeting of the St. Ann's Litching League last Wednesday.

Mrs. J. V. Purvis charmingly entertained the S. B. club at her home here last Wednesday evening. Seventeen members and three guests, Mrs. John Butler of Springfield and Mrs. Joseph Plattner and Miss Mary, sister of this city, were in attendance.

Mrs. Olive Engstrom, director of the county normal school, arrived here and resumed her duties after a vacation in Pennsylvania.

Miss Laura, both daughter of Mr. Tolson, both of this city, and Joseph Ziska, son of Joseph Ziska, of Lima, who married at St. Joseph's Catholic church, here last Wednesday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Ziska will reside at 515 Hillcrest, Lima.

Mrs. William A. Felt went to Lima last Monday to attend the annual convention of the Lima and St. Joseph's Catholic church.

Miss Maryville, daughter of Mr. David T. Felt, returned to Lima last Tuesday after spending a few days at New Castle and Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton T. Felt returned here last Tuesday evening after spending the last two weeks with the Felt family at New Castle and Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Felt of Lima spent Tuesday in this city with Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald of Lima visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Andrus in this city and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Zink.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Lima, who married at St. Joseph's Catholic church, here last Wednesday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will reside at 515 Hillcrest, Lima.

Miss Marjorie Shue returned to her studies in St. Mary's college and conservatory at Monroe, Mich. last Wednesday after spending her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Shue, and sister Thelma Shue.

COLUMBUS GROVE

By MISS ELIZABETH RIMER

Mr. Walter Korns returned home last Wednesday evening after spending several days with his mother in Ironton.

Mrs. Martha Borg and Mrs. Edith Seeling returned from Cleveland last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Young of near Ironton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McGurn last Monday.

Mrs. Frank Lucibill entertained the Fruit and Pleasure club last Friday evening. Their husbands and Mr. and Mrs. William Haininger were guests.

Miss Alice Kuller returned home last Sunday evening from a week's visit with her aunt Margaret Fuller at Hubbard. On the following Monday she joined a party at Lima for a pleasure trip to Chicago for a few days.

Mrs. Carmi Norris and Mrs. Mary Jones visited their sister Mrs. Lida Jones at Lima the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Lida Jones and Miss Rita Haininger returned home from Toledo last week after a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Martha Verhoff visited relatives at Crestline and Shelby the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Anna Frutcher and Mrs. Moll Wood resumed their position in the Municipal Telephone office the first of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood moved to Gibson on a farm.

Mrs. Anna Lewis was in Ottawa last Monday.

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DELPHOS

By GERALD S. SHENK

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ST. MARYS

By FOREST LEVING

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Henry Hudson, Jr., family were in St. Marys last Monday.

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SPENCERVILLE

By PAUL W. COCHRAN

Robert Sunderland, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bent Sunderland, returned to Columbus, Monday, where he is a student at Ohio State.

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The Country Culture club was

entertained Thursday by Mrs. S. J. Bailey at her home south of the city.

Prof. and Mrs. Humphreys and son Richard have returned to their home in Ann Arbor, Mich., after spending the holiday season with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Mary Ennis has returned from Charleston, W. Va., where she visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Joke.

A pot-luck supper was held by the Informal Study club at the home of Mrs. George Dennis Wednesday. Miss Alice Ramsey led the discussion which followed.

David J. Cable of Lima was in the city to attend the funeral of his father, John J. Cable, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Starkey are the parents of a daughter, Marjorie Ellen, who was born Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. W. Harvey was hostess to members of the Igo club at her home on W. Third-st., Thursday afternoon.

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CUTS ARE MADE IN CITY BUDGETS

Unless Relief Comes, Some Departments Will Be Hampered.

BEFORE COUNCIL MONDAY

Hope for Help in Anticipated Reappraisal

In a meeting of the finance committee of the city council Friday afternoon, preliminary cuts were made in the general budget also the budgets of the safety and service departments.

According to Mayor Burkhardt, the cut of almost 70 per cent in the service department's budget, which was made will mean the closing down of the department repair shop and probably other departments.

The safety department was cut to within \$31,000 of the amount appropriated and the general fund to within \$6,000.

These matters will be discussed at the special meeting of council Monday night.

It will be unnecessary to make these cuts if the city is afforded the relief expected to be decided upon at the hearing of the state tax commission on January 17 when the matter of revaluation of property will be brought up. If revaluation is ordered, a greater income will be provided. However, as the matter now stands, there is no assurance that the tax commission will reconsider its action in ordering reappraisal postponed.

LODGE NOTICES

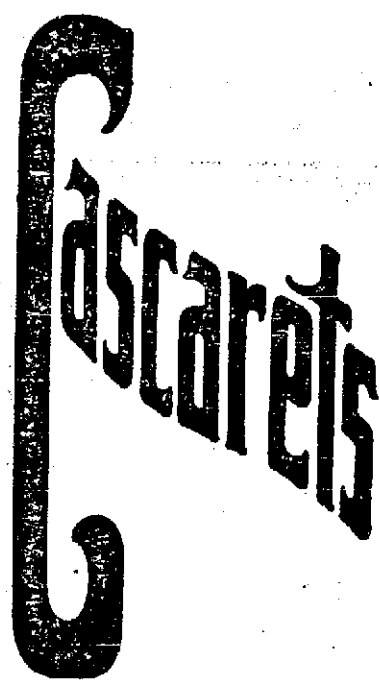
Mart Armstrong Post No. 94, Women's Relief Corps, will meet at Memorial Hall Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock to practice for initiation Wednesday of this week. All members are urged to attend.

Women's Relief Corps and Mart Armstrong Post will hold a joint installation Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at Memorial Hall. The public is cordially invited to attend the session.

TO INCREASE FORCE

DETROIT, Mich.—The Liberty Motor Car Company, that has been operating with a decidedly curtailed staff, announced today that it would reemploy several hundred additional men January 17. The action will mean increased production by several automobile parts factories here, it was announced.

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CONSTANTINE HOPES U. S. WILL DECIDE HE CAN DRAW \$5,000,000 ON CREDIT



Upper photo shows, left to right: King Constantine, Prince Paul, Princess Helene and Princess Irene. In front are Princess Katherine, left and Queen Sophia. Below are the Princesses Irene and Helene. These pictures are the latest ones of Greece's royal family to reach the U. S. They were taken when the King left Lausanne for Athens. The two princesses were photographed leaning from a train window.

WASHINGTON — (Special) — The state department, in the next few days, will decide this country's attitude towards King Constantine of Greece and whether his administration is a "new" government, or if the situation at Athens calls for an active step by the United States. IT'S QUESTION OF CREDIT

The question arises in connection with the financial agreements entered into between the United States and Greece. Under the sec-

ond of them Greece is entitled to draw \$5,000,000 on a credit of \$38,000,000 for economic needs, originally intended for its account after the ratification of the Versailles peace treaty. The Constantine government is anxious to obtain this money. Both England and France, refusing to recognize that a government exists in Greece, have withheld financial advances. ALL OFFERED FUNDS

During the war the United States,

Great Britain and France each agreed to accord a \$38,000,000 credit to Greece as a joint obligation to be binding after the ratification of the treaty of peace.

The American government construed the obligation as binding the United States after this country had ratified the treaty, but a tentative agreement was finally entered into with the Venizelos ministry at Athens under which this government was to make \$5,000,000 advances before ratification.

TROUBADOURIANS WILL

STAGE "DO MEN GOSSIP?"

"Do Men Gossip?" is the title of a clever sketch that will be presented at the regular meeting of the Central Hi Troubadour Dramatic Society, Tuesday.

Dorothy Robinson, James Backus, Turpin Bannister, James Barr and Howard Taftlinger will take part in the play.

This will be the first meeting of the new year. Plans will be made to select the play for the club's annual production.

The program-committee has been examining plays recently and a decision is expected at this meeting.

AMBULANCE REMOVALS

WILLIAMS AND DAVIS

Louise Pobst, 868 Bellefontaine ave., to City hospital; Miss Stella Little, from Baltimore and Ohio station, en route from Toledo, to St. Rita's hospital; A. B. Joseph from near Beaverdam to City hospital.

COMMUNITY SING

AT "Y" SUNDAY

A "community sing" will be held in the lobby of the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at five o'clock. The leader will be C. Major Daugherty of Indianapolis, Ind. The principal speaker will be F. B. Eastes, of Norfolk, Ohio.

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LEGION QUINTET TO PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP FIVE FRIDAY

JOE SERRA FIGHTS KNOCKOUT GEORGE BROWN AT MEMORIAL HALL TWO WEEKS FROM MONDAY NIGHT—TIFFIN NEXT FOR SOUTH HI HERE

DATE OF NEXT FIGHT IS SET FOR A WEEK LATER, JAN. 24th

Because of conflicting dates which unexpectedly arose, the boxing commission changed the date of the next fight here from Monday, Jan. 17, to a week later, Jan. 24.

The commission granted special permission to Walter Perry, promoter of the fight, to stage a 15-round bout between Joe Serra, of Columbus, and George (K. O.) Brown, of Toledo, at 150 pounds.

Both of these fighters are the slum, bang kind and are expected to put on great exhibition of slugging in their fight here. Serra dropped into town last night and conferred with Perry, and says he is going to try and beat Brown at his own game of slug and punch.

At three o'clock on the afternoon of the fight, this pair is to weigh in at 150 pounds on foot.

The other main go will be between Lon Baxter, local fighter and Homer Thomas, of Columbus.

Thomas has whipped such boys as K. O. Curran, of Pittsburgh, Leo Palmer and Frankie Dean. Baxter's record and ability to scrap is known to every boxing fan in town.

Fans here will remember Brown as the fighter who met Mike O'Leary here a year ago last summer at the ball park.

Promoter Perry is arranging general good preliminaries and is planning everything for a double card.

"It will be a different kind of a fight," Perry said, "than the last one staged here. These fights will slug and are just what the fans here want to see—a slugger match."

BOXING MAY UNDERGO A CHANGE

By HENRY J. FARRELL

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Baseball, looking for redemption, chose a Judge Landis to lead it out of the darkness on a straight road.

Facing, needing redemption, probably will put its faith for a safe future in a new national board of control.

A DREAM YEAR AGO

It was the pet dream of the International Sporting Club at its birth a little over a year ago, to get boxing under a strong national hand. But the "old-timers" wagged a head wisely and said "no chance."

Monday, however, the dream may take flesh when the representatives of 18 states assemble here to talk over means of ridding the game of its numerous cancers.

With some modifications there is little doubt that the recommendations of the International Club will be adopted, as approval of the purpose of the meeting has been voiced in every state that is to send representatives.

STATES TO AGREE

The main purpose of the meeting after the national board has been decided upon will be the adoption of uniform, standardized rules and a working agreement among the states to protect each other's rights.

Such a working agreement is now in effect between New York, Maryland, Massachusetts and Connecticut, so that a boxer disqualified for an offense in one state, will draw an automatic suspension in the other members of the alliance.

COMMERCIALISM HIT

The Walker bill will not be pushed for adoption by the New York legislature, but it will be recommended with changes to ward off commercialism which were not included in the original bill.

Since New York, the biggest boxing center in the world, has acted to regulate prices, it is almost certain that the other states will agree to the same action, as it has already been complained that New York was paying boxers so much that other states could not get them to even listen to their best offers.

In addition to a regulation of admission prices, it is probable will be recommended to force boxers to work on a percentage basis.

EAT 'EM ALIVE ROTES SAY

Bite 'em, chew 'em, eat 'em whole!

That's the slogan of the Rotary bowling team members who are prepared to give the Kiwanian outfit a taste of their own medicine when the two teams bowl against each other Monday night at the Elks' in the second games of their 21-game series.

Last Monday night the Kiwanians slipped a neat victory over the Rotes, after which members of the Rotary team said they let the "K" crew win so they would not lose interest.

But—

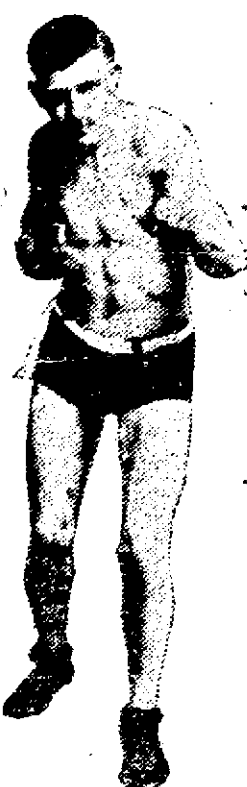
The boasting recently of the Kiwanians have peeved the Rotes and they say they are going to show them who's who in this series before the schedule progresses far.

LIONS EAGER TO WHIP 'K' TEAM

Following their defeat at the hands of the Kiwanians Friday evening, the Lions are promising a reversal of the scores on Wednesday when the same two teams will meet again on the K. of C. alleys.

In the last contest the Lions, while losing two games out of the three, did manage to roll up the high individual score as well as the high team score. Their allowance of raw meat has been increased as they are determined to get the Indians' scalps.

WALTER PERRY, LOCAL FIGHT PROMOTER, AND HIS PUG, DON BAXTER, WHO BOXES HERE SOON



K. of C. Bowling Results

The Cardinals whipped the Pirates three straight and the Shamrocks beat the Cubs down in two of three games in the K. of C. League meet last night.

The Cardinals, with a shaken-up line up, showed considerable improvement in form over their past matches and enter the select class among the league teams by being credited with the high team roll to date, having scored 507 plus in the final game of their contest with the Pirates.

PLAYERS	1st	2nd	3rd
Malloy	112	158	208
Holtz	178	150	117
Diamond	127	149	114
Hyland	134	162	136
Willert	108	171	109

Totals 629 730 584

SHAMROCKS

PLAYERS	1st	2nd	3rd
Flitzpatrick	158	133	168
O'Brien	142	105	128
McDonalds	112	113	169
Fennessy	137	132	153
Cardosi	117	140	130

Totals 669 623 704

PIRATES

PLAYERS	1st	2nd	3rd
Ruthman	170	168	153
Murphy	142	116	149
Wagner	158	127	181
O'Donnell	145	176	173
Punling	148	117	184

Totals 763 704 840

CARDINALS

PLAYERS	1st	2nd	3rd
McFarland	145	203	203
J. O'Brien	128	141	211
V. Kennedy	134	179	109
Burgum	161	123	187
Schmidt	187	152	209

Totals 765 897 909

The Capital City Bowling team show best form of season when they bagged new pins for three consecutive 500 games, rolling against the "Pickups" at the Recreation Alleys last night.

The Pickups organized for the purpose of giving the Capital City five practice opposition before their entry at the National Tournament, made things interesting for the Capital pin busters who were required to come thru with their best efforts, resulting in several games over the 200 mark.

Hardesty piled up the best score with a string of seven straight strikes, putting 245 pins in the middle game. The "Pickups," with a strengthened lineup, is scheduled for a return game with the Capital City team Tuesday night.

Scores:

Probet	191	163	139
Hardy	186	245	181
McFarland	157	175	202
Miller	211	177	178
Sanders	161	211	224

Total 2891

Barrington	158	150	156
Willert	186	169	178
Halloran	144	227	170
Davey	168	190	180
Kobler	172	182	170

Total 2589

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RIFLE CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY

The Shawnee Rifle Club will hold a special meeting next Tuesday night to make arrangements for entering the National civilian shoot which opens on January 15.

The club has at present one team formed and want to form another team if enough members are present at the meeting. The shoot extends for two weeks.

Those entering the shoot that make 50 per cent score will be awarded a marksmanship medal by the government; those that make 75 per cent will be awarded the expert medal.

The Shawnee Club has several members who are excellent shots and some high scores are expected to be made by the club.

The meeting to be held Tuesday will be a very important one as the shoot opens the following week and it will be necessary to complete all arrangements Tuesday night.

Marguerite Clark dances in her newest picture, the first made since her marriage. It is called "Scrambled Wives."

FAST GAMES PLAYED IN CHURCH LEAGUE

Trinity, German Reformed and the First Christian quintets emerged victors in the three Church League basketball games played Saturday night at the Y. M. C. A.

The hardest fought game was the one between Trinity and the South Side Church of Christ. Trinity scored at will during the second half and won the game by a 25-14 score.

The second game between the Baptists and the First Christians was much closer, but lacked the pep of the first game. The final score being 20-26 in favor of the First Christians.

A SLOW GAME

The third game was a runaway for the German Reformed. The final score being 38-2.

The game between Trinity and the South Side started off with a rush. Rader, South Side, made the first score—a perfect shot from the center of the floor. The South Side used excellent team work and at first completely outplayed the Methodists.

They had worked the score up to 11-3 in their favor when Trinity started off with a rush and tied the score.

Thomas made some excellent long shots as well as dropping foul after foul thru the basket with ease.

MAKE LONG SHOTS

The big majority of Trinity's scores were long shots. The two Brethren and the German Reformed south side then played a fast five man game, the individual shooting of Germa Reformed started off with a rush and scored at will. Ray Lyle, the pitcher thru the hoop from the middle of the floor. The first half ended with the score 14-15 in favor of Trinity.

The last half opened with both teams guarding expertly. Then Trinity started a spurt that was kept up the rest of the game. Young scored five field goals this half with Thomas making three field goals and three free throws. Thomas and Williams, American Legion men played with Trinity.

The south side quintet again started a last minute rally that was quickly stopped by Trinity. Rader was easily south's star with Thomas playing the best game for Trinity.

The final score was Trinity, 41; South Side, 25.

TRINITY LINE-UP

Lineups: Trinity: C. Young and Thomas, forwards; Greenland, center; Polser and Williams, guards; Rader and Gilmore, forwards.

South Side: Scheske, center; Hall and Ridenour, guards; Sabe, Feigh and Gardner.

The second game between the First Christian and the Baptists was close but slow. The Christians had made three points when the Baptists made two baskets in quick succession and gave them the edge. McClain then tossed a foul for the First Christian and tied the score. The Baptists netted another field goal only to have the Christians do the same. Just as the first half ended the

winning quintet played hard the entire first half. They used good teamwork and made some excellent shots.

MAKES LONG TALLY

Just as the shot that marked the end of the first half sounded, Powell, United Brethren, made their lone tally of the entire game.

The last half the Germans did not attempt to run up a high score but kept the other team from scoring. The Germans scoring was consistent throughout this half, however, and when they had totaled 35 points and had only two minutes to play the crowd urged them to make 40 points. They tried desperately but could only make one basket.

LYLE IS STAR

Ray Lyle was the star for the victors. He was responsible for one fourth of their points. L. Keller, Aab and eParson scored 8 points apiece.

Powell was the only man to score for the losers.

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FIRESTONES OF AKRON HER THIS WEEK FOR BIG TILT

The eyes of the local basket-ball fans will turn toward Memorial Hall next Friday evening, January 14, when the representative team of the local American Legion post is slated to clash with the Firestone Tire & Rubber Company team of Akron, Ohio.

This game should prove to be a "hummer" as the Firestone team is considered one of the best, in not only the state of Ohio, but the Country at large.

The Legion team having won four straight contests, feel quite confident that they can put over a victory and will devote a great portion of each evening this week endeavoring to perfect a number of new plays with which to baffel the Firestone aggregation.

According to advance information received from Akron, the Firestone team will arrive in Lima early in the morning Friday so that an afternoon of light practice can be held in Memorial Hall to familiarize their players with the condition of the Legion's floor.

As a preliminary to the big game, the sophomores of St. Rose high school will tackle a picked team from the Y. M. C. A. This game will start promptly at 7:30 and the big game will be called not later than 8:30.

DANCE AFTER GAME

Dancing will follow the feature game and will be run on the park-lane. This step is taken by the Legion management to insure a success of the evening from a financial standpoint.

This game is but one of three hard games in which the Legion will participate this month.

On the following Friday, they will meet the Centiles of Dayton, who are considered one of the fastest traveling teams from the "gem" city and the bright light of the Legion schedule will shine on January 28th when they meet the New York Nationals of Brooklyn, N. Y., who claim the World's Championship in basketball.

GOING AT FAST CLIP

During the past few weeks the Legion team has been going at quite a fast clip and are rapidly placing themselves on the top rung of the basketball ladder in this section of the country, making a very prominent name for themselves in basketball circles.

Towns in this vicinity recognize the Lima outfit as one of the most promising aggregations that has been seen on a basket-ball court for a number of years.

The team has now won four straight games by defeating the Olympics of Toledo, St. Marys, Ohio, Grove City College and Bluffton.

DOPE FAVORS LEGION

The Grove City College team defeated Spencerville and Waynesfield, and St. Marys has turned in a victory against Kenton, which goes to show that the Legion team as a whole is quite a fast aggregation.

Thomas and Miller, at forward, constitute a pair of basket shooters which cannot be beaten. Their ability to play together is shown in every game as excellent pass work is carried on by those two men. The number of goals which they have made is just about evenly divided and both of these players are quite an asset to the Legion team.

At Center, Baker has proven his ability by out-jumping, out-generalizing and out-shooting every opposing Center that has appeared against him this season.

BAKER IS PRAISED

After the Toledo Olympics game, the manager of the Toledo team expressed his opinion of Baker by saying "he is undoubtedly the cleanest and fastest Center that he has seen for a number of years." This man should be in a position to recognize real ability, as Toledo is represented by a number of classy outfits.

No two players of greater ability have been seen on a local court than O'Brien and Churchill at guard; Churchill playing quite a defensive game under the opponent's basket and O'Brien playing a roving game in which capacity he has caged quite a number of field goals.

The fans are always delighted with the work of Churchill who plays a dashing, smothering game. Any time that this lad gets his hands on the ball it usually results in a series of passes, culminated by a field goal for the Legion team.

WILL BE A GREAT GAME

Since the floor at Memorial Hall has been widened fast basketball can be presented and undoubtedly those who see the game next Friday will witness one of the greatest games they have ever seen in Lima.

The advance sale of tickets is quite heavy and it is suggested that the patrons come early to insure them of a seat at this game.

BIG SCRAP IN GOTHAM HARD HIT

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK—Jack Dempsey Georges Carpentier cannot b their little argument about world's heavyweight title in New York.

Dempsey cannot satisfy Jesse Ward's desire for another chance, New York.

The probability of the same battle being staged in America are slim.

New York is the one place to Tex Rickard and Company to stage the biggest bouts of the year with the least risk and the boxing commission has put a huge barrier in the way.

The edict of the boxing solons that prices beyond \$10 for an "ordinary bout" and \$15 for a championship affair, cannot be charged, throws water on all hopes for these major engagements in the ring.

Probably the promoters will buy and fall back upon a price-fixing agreement, but that will avail little.

Fortunately, as far as supervising the sport goes, the Walker vests all the necessary authority the commission to legislate and enforce rulings of their own liking.

Notice has been served by the unions on promoters, not to arrange bouts in the future, with high prices.

As is well-known, a purse of a half million dollars has been offered to the Dempsey-Carpentier fight, could never be staged on a maximum price of \$15 for a choice ring side seat.

The Dempsey-Willard fight, which not a gigantic financially, equal up against it.

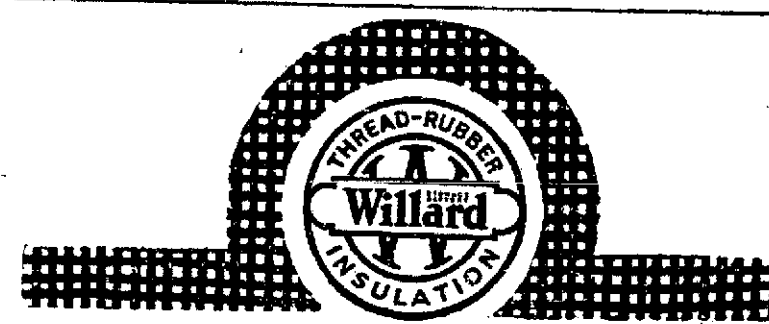
NOTICE OF LETTERS

The sporting editor of The Lima News has two letters mailed in care of him; one for Charles Maxwell and the other for Walter Perry.

By calling at the office or getting busy on the telephone these letters will be delivered.

NAVY WINS

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 8.—Navy's basketball team continued its victorious march here this afternoon, by defeating Lafayette 27 to 13. It was the sixth straight victory of the season for the midshipmen.



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TALK OF SPLIT AGAIN THREATENS TO CORRUPT LEAGUES

OVER A HUNDRED BOWLING TEAMS ARE TO PARTICIPATE IN KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS STATE PIN TOURNEY WHICH BEGINS HERE JANUARY 22

CRACK BOWLERS ARE TO TAKE PART IN K. OF C. TOURNEY

More than 100 bowling teams are to be entered in the 5th annual state bowling tournaments to be held under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus, under direction of the American Bowling Congress, commencing at the Recreation Alleys here January 22, and continuing thru the 13th day of February.

The State Tournament this year will bring to Lima crack bowling teams from nearly every city in the state, as the entries indicate. Word received from N. J. Weisend, president of the state association, states that the tournament is expected to be the best meet that the organization has had from its commencement five years ago. Louis E. Szendery, Sandusky, Ohio, Secretary of the association, is arranging the schedule that will give the state the dates when they will compete in the big get-together among the leading Knight bowlers of Ohio.

WITH THE PUGS IN U. S. AND OVERSEAS

LONDON—Pete Herman, former world's bantamweight champion, and "Batling" Levinsky, the former light heavyweight champion, who are matched respectively to meet Jimmy Wilde and Bombardier Wells at Albert Hall, London January 13, are in training at Thames Ditton, a London suburb, where English boxing enthusiasts daily watch them in their workouts.

TOLEDO, Ohio—Carl Tremaine, of Cleveland, will meet Earl Puryear in this city Monday night. On January 19 Tremaine fights Joe Burns in return match at Cleveland.

DAYTON, Ohio—Providing arrangements can be made, the Miami Athletic Club will match Blockie Richards and Freddie Jacks at Lakeside Park not later than January 24. Richards has returned home from Cleveland, where his father, C. W. Long, completed details for a fight between the Dayton champion and Charlie O'Connell, Cleveland lightweight on February 4.

OMAHA, Neb.—Earl Caddock, of Walnut, Iowa, former heavyweight wrestling champion, will depart next Wednesday for New York to begin training for his match there January 24 with the present title holder Ed. (Strangler) Lewis, it was announced Saturday by Caddock's manager, Gene Meledy, of Omaha.

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Mike Gibbons, who is to box Chuck Wiggins in Cincinnati on Tuesday night, left this city Saturday for that city. Tommy is in fine shape. He worked out six rounds with Battling Sullivan before taking his departure. Gibbons will not return to his home in this city for several weeks, as he expects to box Harry Greb in Toledo the latter part of the month.

CLEVELAND—Jimmy Dunn, manager of Bryan Downey, has received an offer to put Downey against Mike O'Dowd in New York. Dunn has accepted, but prefers to put Downey against Jonny Wilson, middleweight champion. Artie Root was Saturday matched to fight Dave Sandow in Cincinnati on Monday January 17.

COLUMBUS—Tony Downey, who fought Frankie Jones in Cincinnati New Year's Day, is suffering from a badly bruised right hand and will have to lay off for a couple of weeks. He has been fighting every week or so and the rest will do him good. Harry Sully, of this city, Saturday wired an offer to Harry O'Rawe, of Cincinnati, for a match between O'Rawe's heavyweight, Frank Ryan, and Joe Downey, of this city. A Cincinnati club is after the same bout.

CLEVELAND—Replying to the debt issued Saturday by manager of Danny Frush, Baltimore featherweight, Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, declared that that he will meet Frush, Chaney or anybody in the world who will make the featherweight limit, providing the purse is large enough.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Coincident with the announcement Saturday of Cameron L. Orr, new Prosecuting Attorney, that he would oppose boxing here until the sport is legalized in the state, came an announcement that the American Legion thru a legislative committee to be appointed Sunday at a meeting at Jefferson City, is preparing to step into action in behalf of the boxing bill. Edward J. Cahill, State Adjutant of Missouri, said that the legion will support the bill.

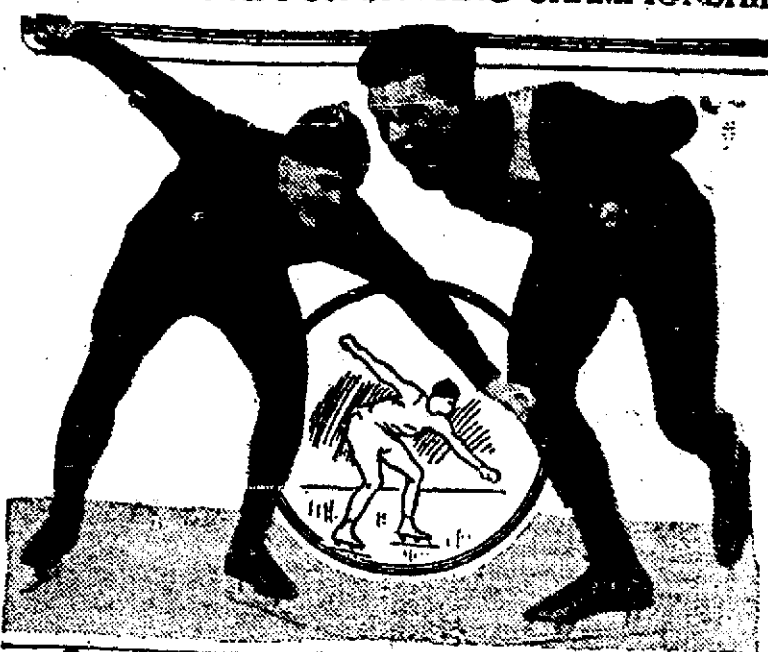
There is a law in Missouri which prohibits prize fighting and boxing matches, but the law has been ignored in the past.

DETROIT, Mich.—In bout billed for the Michigan-Ontario welterweight championship Elmer Hogan of Kalamazoo, Mich., knocked out Eddie Harris, Canadian welterweight champion, in the third round with a terrific left hook to the jaw just as the bell rang.

Harris could not revive enough to come out in the fourth round, when his seconds tossed the sponge into the ring. Harris was no match for Hogan's cleverness and punch. Freddie Hammond and Aleck Nevecky went 10 rounds to a draw in a semi-final that was a hummer from the start to the finish, when the judges and referee called the bout a draw.

SAN FRANCISCO—Japan soon will flourish as a boxing center, according to Yojiro Watanabe, Japanese boxer, who will leave this week for Tokyo to establish a boxing school. He also will have a school at Osaka and will import American boxers for exhibitions later on.

CHARLEY JEWTRAU AND JOE MOORE MUST SETTLE TITLE DISPUTE FOR SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP



BRYAN DOWNEY FIGHTS CHIP

CLEVELAND—Bryan Downey, Columbus middleweight, will fight George Chip, Pittsburg, in the man ten-round event of a boxing show here Friday night. Chip is after a victory to avenge a defeat of his brother at the hands of Downey. Al Corbett, Cleveland, will meet Al McCoy, Rochester, in the ten-round semi-final.

CHARLES JEWTRAU, AT LEFT, AND JOE MOORE

Charles Jewtrau and Joe Moore recently skated to a tie in the contests for the national speed skating title at Newburgh, N. Y., recently. Each piled up 70 points. Jewtrau won the 220 and 440-yard events and Moore won the mile race and finished second in the 220 and 440-yard events. They undoubtedly will meet again before the season ends to settle the supremacy.

BIG ROW IN BASEBALL CIRCLES IS EXPECTED AT MEETING MONDAY

(By DON E. CHAMBERLAIN)

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—(United Press Staff Correspondent)—The much-abused dove of peace hovered over the baseball situation tonight, in trepidation.

On the verge of a momentous conference of the leading baseball magnates from all parts of the country, the little fellows in organized baseball—the minor league magnates—are seething with rebellion against the big league magnates and the owners of clubs in the "big three" minor leagues.

The row is expected to be started Monday when the minors confer to discuss adoption of an agreement, which would allow major league clubs to draft from the minors at an increased price.

The "big three" in the minors—the Pacific Coast and International Leagues and the American Association—are amenable to making an agreement. But they also want to establish an agreement with leagues of lower rating.

They are expected to seek adoption of an agreement which would give them the privilege of drafting from Class A, B and C leagues.

FIRST OPPOSITION
First opposition to the agreement, which will be offered by the major leagues next week, came today from George H. Maines, of the Michigan-Ontario League. Maines did not go into details but he let it be known that he would join in a two-fisted

fight against any agreement drawn by a major league attorney.

That the fight over the draft might be dropped was intimated by Ben Johnson Saturday.

TOM WHELAN SIGNS

CHICAGO.—The first base position on the Chicago Nationals was taken care of today with the signing of Thomas Whelan, of Boston, a graduate of Georgetown University, whose services were sought by several major league clubs. Whelan played one game last year with the Boston Braves, but refused to sign a contract. He is 24 years old. During the war he was a Lieutenant in the Aviation Corps.

TIFFIN HERE FRIDAY FOR BIG GAME

South Hi will play their second game of the Trolley League series again at home next Friday night when they meet the fast Tiffin squad, strong contenders this year for the pennant.

Coach Young has taken active charge of the squad and intends to put them thru a series of stiff workouts the coming week for the Friday night's game.

SELL SEASON TICKETS

Over 400 season tickets have been sold by the South Side school, and a crowd at each of their games here is practically assured.

It is unknown whether or not Young will shift players of the squad, or alter the line-up from the way it was started by Coach Bacome, who resigned recently to accept a position in Chicago.

Edith Roberts, following her appearance in "White Youth," will be shown in a South American story, "Hidden Fires."

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WITTEN FIVE IS LOOKING FOR BLOOD

SPRINGFIELD—Wittenberg College will open its Ohio Conference basketball season with Otterbein here next Tuesday night at Memorial Hall.

That Wittenberg is out for the conference championship of Ohio is an open fact. It has a fast team made up of veteran players, and Coach Godfrey is promising to show the basketball fans of the country some real cage art.

LOST FIRST GAME

The Lutherans lost their first game to Ohio State by one point. On New Year's night they defeated Princeton, last year's University champions of the East, by a score of 33-10, holding the Tigers to but two field baskets during the entire game. "Babe" Hall, guard of the Wittenberg quintet, will be out of the line up Tuesday night on account of injuries to an ankle received in practice this week.

The Otterbein squad, which is being tutored by Coach Dittmer, former director of athletics at Springfield, is expected to give Wittenberg plenty of competition in their game here Tuesday night.

WORLD'S RECORD IN SWIMMING

CHICAGO—In the first events of the Central A. A. U. indoor swimming championships, two world's records were broken last night. Norman Ross, Illinois A. C., individual Olympic champion, covered the distance in the 100 yard medley race in 1:06. The former record was 1:06 1-5, made by Harry Heber in 1916.

ARMY NOT AFTER DESERTERS. WEST POINT, N. Y.—The military academy authorities Saturday denied reports that they had made efforts to induce by illegitimate means members of football teams of other colleges to desert those teams and come to West Point for athletic purposes. A rigid investigation has failed to reveal the slightest basis for such reports.

Plans Complete For The Inauguration of Ohio's New Governor Tomorrow

Many Festivities are Planned for the Day at State Capital

Cox Will Deliver Commission at 1 p. m.—Ball In Evening

COLUMBUS — Columbus is ready for the inauguration of Harry L. Davis of Cleveland as governor of Ohio tomorrow. Thousands of Ohio citizens are expected to be here for the festivities which are programmed for the day.

The inaugural ceremonies will take place at an immense forum erected on the west steps of the statehouse, beginning at 11:30 a. m., followed by the usual inaugural parade at 1 o'clock, with a public reception at 3:30 in the rotunda of the capitol and an inaugural ball and press smoker in the evening.

Governor-elect Davis will take the oath of office after receiving his commission from the retiring governor James M. Cox, who has completed his third term as Ohio's chief executive. The oath will be administered by Chief Justice C. T. Marshall of the state supreme court. Mr. Davis' inaugural address, which will follow immediately the administration of the oath, also will receive a broadcast by the radio.

It is he will outline his policies. TO BE FORTY-FIFTH GOVERNOR

Mr. Davis will be the 45th governor of the state. He is the 18th Republican governor. Twelve Democrats, four Whigs and three Federalists have preceded him as chief executives of Ohio.

The new governor is stopping for the present at a hotel here, where he will be met at 11 o'clock Monday morning by a reception committee, accompanied by the old guard, and escorted to the statehouse.

The famous rainbow band will serenade him and play during the inaugural. Rev. John H. O'Neil of Columbus will deliver the invocation and Edward J. Foster, Jr., as master of ceremonies will introduce the new executive.

In a brief speech, Governor Cox will present to Mr. Davis his commission and then the chief justice will administer the oath of office.

Following the inaugural address a chorus of "The Star-Spangled Banner" will be sung by the children, flanked on either side by the American Legion and the Boy Scouts. The audience also will join in singing the national anthem during the ceremonies. The ceremony will close with benediction and playing of "Hail to the Chief" by the Rainbow Band.

WILL FIRE SALUTY

At high noon, the governor's salute of 17 guns will be fired by a salute from the Ohio Naval Militia. The parade is scheduled to form at 1 o'clock, in command of General John C. Speaks, Republican congressman-elect from the twelfth district. Governor-elect Davis will ride in an automobile, in the parade, accompanied by his wife and small son. In all the previous inaugurations, the new governors have ridden behind white horses in a carriage.

The reorganized Ohio National Guard will be represented in the parade by 1500 men, consisting of the entire Fourth Regiment, Co. F, of the First Regiment, Cincinnati; Battery B, Field Artillery of Canton and troop B, of Columbus. Brigadier General P. D. Henderson of Marysville will be in command of the unit. In addition to the grand outfits, the military division also will contain veterans of the Civil War, Spanish-American War and World War, a detachment of regulars from the Columbus Barracks, and the Ohio State University cadets. Military troops will be quartered in the state capital and in the Fourth Regiment Armory in Columbus.

RECEPTION IS PLANNED

Following the parade, Governor Davis will hold a public reception in the rotunda of the statehouse. Mayor Thomas of Columbus will be chairman of the reception committee.

Mr. Davis will dine at six o'clock at a local hotel as the guest of the Western Reserve Republican Club, before beginning the evening's festivities which start with a reception for federal, state, county and city officials in the senate chamber in the statehouse.

From this reception, the new governor and his party will be taken to Memorial Hall where the inaugural ball will take place. For the first time in the history of the state, a charge will be made for admission.

The tickets are \$3. Governor-elect Davis consented to having the ball held, only on condition that a part of the expenses be borne by those participating.

The Press Smoker, given by newspapers for their fellow craftsmen of the state, is the last event on the program for the day. It will be held at the Elks Home. Mr. Davis will reach the press smoker about 10 o'clock.

The new governor will take up his duties of chief executive of the state early Tuesday morning. Governor Cox will return to his home near Dayton following the inaugural.

NO OTHER CEREMONIES

No special ceremonies are planned in connection with the inauguration of other state officers. Joseph E. Tracy, state auditor, is the only new state official to take office at this time. Attorney General John G. Price, State Treasurer R. W. Archer and Secretary of State Harvey C. Smith, commence their second terms.

All arrangements for the Davis inaugural have been in charge of an inaugural committee of the Columbus Chamber of Commerce, of which E. A. Reed of this city is chairman. J. W. Faulkner, Columbus correspondent for the Cincinnati Enquirer, is chairman in charge of the arrangements for the Press Smoker.

BLIND WIVES

OHIO BRIEFS

CINCINNATI — Attorney George S. Hawks, executive secretary of the Good Citizenship League, today said he probably would urge that liquor law violators convicted in federal court here be assessed a state penalty in addition to the fine imposed by the federal court.

DELPHOS — Parents' organizations here have started a crusade to stop the alleged selling of cigarettes to minors. E. W. Hovey, superintendent of schools, says prosecutions will be pushed to the limit.

COLUMBUS — Columbus dance halls are free from drinking bouts, according to a report of Mrs. Eloya Satterthwaite, a dance hall inspector. There is practically no liquor selling in the city, she said, comparing conditions here with other principal cities of the state.

TOLEDO — All Toledo soft drink parlors will be licensed by the city, said the days of regular saloons, under a city ordinance signed recently by Mayor Scribner.

There are pools of more soft drink parlors in Toledo. Under the new ordinance, the license for \$5, a year, and here will be granted by the license director only after investigation and approval of the application by the city director.

CINCINNATI — How fleeing fame was demonstrated here when Mrs. J. J. Chapman, a group of citizens, filed a petition in court that the portion of Carthage-ave, the name of which was changed to Ruthless-ave, when the Cincinnati Reds' manager, John McGraw, was named, be changed back to its old name, Carthage-ave.

When citizens of the city decided to perpetuate its glory by the name of Ruthless, the south side was slugging great ball. He recently was traded for the veteran Marquardt.

TOLEDO — An announcement from Walter P. Chrysler, executive vice president of the company, says the Willys Overland Co. for the first quarter of 1934 will make automobiles only as they are ordered by Willys-overland distributors.

WESTERVILLE — Plans for a fox hunt in the vicinity of Westerville in 1934, were made, immediately following a hunt by the villagers the other day. Three foxes were bagged. The chase was participated in by nearly 3000 persons, who unanimously voted to stage another next year. The foxes sold at auction, brought \$216, which was donated to a church in the village.

COLUMBUS — Columbus is \$27,117.44 richer because of the donation in cash proceeds according to a report made by H. Clayton Cain, secretary of the city board of purchase. Coal bills were received by the city Oct. 1. Cain had a hunch, he said, that prices would tumble and waited three or four weeks, when prices were 20 per cent lower than what they would have paid, had it accepted the bids.

TOLEDO — Simplification of the election machinery of the state, and doing away with the annual registration of voters in cities, are two of the aims which will be sought in an elections bill to be introduced in the state legislature by Senator Thomas L. Gifford and other members of the Lucas co-delegation in the general assembly.

COLUMBUS — Despite the increase in number of automobiles in Columbus, more licenses were issued in 1932 for horse-drawn vehicles than were issued in 1931, according to a report made by City Auditor Gander. The total for 1932 was 2994, for 1931, 2949.

The 1931 appropriation ordinance for Columbus, carries the largest total of appropriations in the history of the city, \$1,222,175.19. The or-

PIQUA IS LOCKED IN HOT BATTLE

"Blue or Not Blue Sundays" is Cause of Argument

RESULTS TODAY WATCHED

Ministers Split on Question—Appeal Failure

PIQUA — Piqua is locked in an internal struggle, with citizens arrayed against citizens. The point at issue is whether the town's Sunday's shall be blue or not be blue.

The Law and Order League is sponsoring the Blue Sundays. The League is composed of prominent citizens, said to be led by Piqua's best known banker, Mayor J. Harrison Smith, and Rev. Hayward S. Aldrich, pastor of St. John's church, are not in favor of the Law and Order League's stand.

The only contest activities center in the town is the tobacco stores, confectionaries and the like. The Law and Order League proposes to close these, charging them as "Sundays."

The first attempt to establish a voluntary Blue Sunday in Piqua failed in Sunday. Notices had been posted early in the week, and positions created, a king of the place of business, the "Sundays."

The fight down on Sunday. All were open, however, and one could purchase a paper, a cup of coffee or a cream with impunity.

FORMS SAVED SUNDAY LEAGUE

Rev. Aldrich has formed the same Sunday League. The organization has had several meetings, and all of the members seem to be opposed to strict enforcement of Blue Laws.

Piqua merchants are united against the Blue Law movement. They declare that if advocates are filed against them, they will fight.

Law and Order backers assert conditions in Piqua "are bad."

With the failure of the first voluntary Blue Sunday, residents of Piqua are looking forward with interest to what moves will be made this Sunday, and whether arrests will be attempted or not.

The town's merchants characterize the "Blue Laws" as a "bunch of old fogies, trying to find something to do." Rev. Aldrich has asserted that he doesn't believe there is any chance of "laws or ordinances of the blue kind being thru."

Finance provides for appropriations of \$143,190 more than in 1930.

COLUMBUS — State Senator Reynolds made a short speech the other day in nominating the majority party's candidate for president, protem of the senate. "I have known this man all my life," Mr. Reynolds said. "I nominate James A. Reynolds of Cuyahoga. Being the only Democrat in the senate, Reynolds got no vote, not his, however, but that of his opponent, Senator Whitte. Mr. Reynolds voted for him, and he returned the compliment.

CINCINNATI — Cincinnati has become the headquarters, with a local man in charge, of the National Machine Tool Builders' Association. Ernst E. Dufur has been made general manager of the association. There are 150 members of the association, employing tens of thousands of men, and representing a capital of many millions of dollars. The association has been in existence about 35 years, and headquarters formerly were at Worcester, Mass.

OHIO MOTHER BEGINS 408-DAY PRISON TERM FOR MAKING 'RAISIN JACK'

YOUNGSTOWN, O. — Mrs. Helen Vasovich, mother of six small children, began a sentence of 408 days in the county jail today for making "raisin jack."

The sentence was imposed in default of \$250 fine and cost.

Women Mayors Better Than Men, Says Asparnt

CUYAHOGA FALLS, O. — "A woman who cares," is the slogan of Mrs. Alice Lewis Richards, the first woman in Ohio to announce her intention of making a fight for election to the office of mayor. She will run on the Republican ticket.

Mrs. Richards has been prominent in club and civic work for many years and believes that women are fully capable of administering to the affairs of a city. She believes that a woman can offer a more conscientious administration than most men.

"A woman can see many things which men overlook," she said. "If I am nominated and elected I will see to it that there is no winking at the liquor laws; that sanitation is pushed to the highest point and many other improvements in all departments made."

Cuyahoga Falls will see a battle of women for the office of mayor, as it was intimated that Mrs. Demogene Senn would try for the Democratic nomination. Mrs. Senn and Mrs. Richards staged a public debate on the League of Nations issue during the presidential campaign.

FARM TENDENCY IN OHIO GROWS

Increase Slight, However, as Shown by Census Report.

COLUMBUS — Farm tenancy has increased only a little more than 2 per cent in Ohio during the last 20 years, according to 1920 census figures, says a report from the agricultural college extension service of Ohio State University.

The census of 1920, according to the report, shows 29.5 per cent of Ohio farms to be operated by tenants; the census of 1910 reported 25.4 per cent; that of 1900, 27.4 per cent.

Madison and Pickaway counties, with 47 and 49.6 per cent respectively, have the largest percentage of tenants, according to the report.

"During the last 10 years," the report continues, "35 counties of the state have shown a decrease in the percentage of tenancy, while 55 have shown an increase. All are situated in the eastern and southern part of the state. The northwest quarter, where there has been a decrease of 4 per cent in tenancy, is the only section of the state where there has been a general increase. Here the increasing size of farms and higher land values has tended to increase tenancy. The matter of suitable methods of leasing has been receiving most attention during the last years."

TRACTORS ENCRDACHING ON MAN AND HORSE POWER

COLUMBUS — That tractors and motor trucks rapidly are encroaching upon farm work previously done in Ohio altogether by manual labor and the horse is indicated in a survey last completed by the Ohio bureau of crop statistics. A total of 8,314 tractors were used on Ohio farms in 1929, at least double the number used in 1918, when 3279 were employed.

The number of motor trucks on farms in the state last year totaled 1650, compared to 2229 in 1919. The report also shows that there were 35,026 autos in 1929 as against 31,600 in 1919.

HOME TALENT PLAY

by 10 ladies of Westminster at school auditorium Saturday, Jan. 15. Benefit of Westminster M. P. church. Title, "A Missionary Clinic." Admission 15c. Children under 10 years 10c.

NOTICE

GAS CONSUMERS

ALL BILLS ARE DUE AND PAYABLE ON OR BEFORE THE 10TH OF THE MONTH. IF BILLS ARE NOT FULLY PAID BY THIS DATE, GAS SERVICE WILL BE DISCONTINUED ON THE 11TH OF THE MONTH WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE.

'HOOTCH' CARRIED IN MANY WAYS

Canton Officials Discover Ingenious Appliances

'LEGGERS ARE ON THE JOB

Foreigners Use Wet-Blanket Method in Stills

CANTON — Human ingenuity developed to a remarkable degree plus a generous dash of audacity has made the illegal stills of liquor in the Canton district develop many striking ways of disposing of their "hootch," according to prohibition enforcement officials here. Here are a few of the most unusual "bars" officials said.

One man operating a "bar" on a street corner in Canton, carried his liquor in a hot water bottle concealed beneath his shirt underneath his arm. A hose attached to the top was drawn thru his sleeves and carried with a nozzle. Whenever the power sign was given, he drew a tiny glass from his pocket, filled it from his "sleeve" and passed it over.

Another peddler, according to the report, carried liquor in a sheet copper tank, made to fit his body and worn beneath his clothing like a close fitting girdle. The booze was drawn from a small spigot concealed in the peddler's vest pocket.

A common way of trying to conceal contraband liquor, officials said, is to place it in soft drink bottles, in full view, or in soft drink urns that have double spigots—turn this way for soft drinks, the other way for hard ones.

A Canton policeman, stopping in a soft drink emporium, said he noticed that although many persons had bought and paid for merchandise, the storeroom did not bring the money up on the cash register, but left it lay on the counter. The policeman investigated and said he found the cash register full of bottles of bonded whiskey.

Liquor also is transported, it is said, in metal containers inserted in the casings of automobile tires, in gasoline tanks, oil cans and glass jars, used for putting up fruits. One automobile confiscated near Carrollton, by local prohibition enforcement officials, had tanks six inches deep, sunk beneath the floor of the car, while the padding of the upholstery had been taken out and bottles of moonshine whiskey put in its place.

Twenty-five thousand and two quarts of whiskey was confiscated here recently, when 17 huge packing cases, labeled "books" and consigned to a merchant doing business in a small storehouse, in which hardly one of the cases could be gotten in, aroused the suspicions of a prohibition enforcement officer.

Many foreigners in the Canton district, officials said, believe that the worst of being condemned, must be found in order to complete evidence, and they use the wet blanket process.

LONDON — London and Madison county residents will put up a stiff fight before the present legislature, if attempts are made to hold up construction work on the new state prison at London. It is asserted here. Governor Davis is thought to be antagonistic to any further appropriations for the work.

LIMA DISTRICT NEWS IN BRIEF

DELPHOS — At its last meeting, the board of health made no move to open schools, churches, poolrooms and lodges closed here because of the smallpox epidemic. Marion-tp trustees ordered their schools closed at their last meeting. The last report showed 143 cases of the disease, and 58 quarantines. Physicians claim the epidemic is not well in hand.

DELPHOS — "Put" Sandles has again been chosen secretary of the Putnam-co fair board. This is his 27th year.

DELPHOS — The city council voted to lease a large portion of the Waterworks park here to the American Road Machinery Co. for 99 years, providing the company uses the land only for manufacturing purposes. That it make improvements on the land worth at least \$10,000, and that it return the land to the city at the expiration of the lease.

DELPHOS — Delphos Banks are now exchanging Fourth Liberty Loan bonds for the permanent bonds now issued by the government, which fall due in 1938.

DELPHOS — Elida Methodist church trustees have filed a petition in the probate court asking permission to sell the present parsonage, using the proceeds for a nucleus fund for the erection of a new building.

DELPHOS — Marriage: Marie Chamberlain, Delphos, and James Harris, Van Wert.

ST. MARYS — Treatment with crushed stone has been finished on Noble and Moultrie roads including the River-rd, Van Wert-rd, abery-rd and the Vogel-Hartman-rd.

ST. MARYS — Damage of small extent was caused by a roof-fire, due to sparks, at the Henry Schulhoff dwelling, occupied by Eliza Montague at the south end of Guy-st adjoining Hog alley.

ST. MARYS — Large attendance, annual union church observance of the week of prayer. The series closed Friday night with double-header meetings at the First Baptist and United Brethren churches.

VAN WERT — A committee of five local business men has been appointed by the Treway club to investigate the cause for the laying off of 65 men at the Cincinnati Northern railway shops.

VAN WERT — Claron L. Shafer, blind senator from the 32nd district has been appointed chairman of the senate committee on benevolent institutions. Mrs. Shafer has been granted the privilege of the floor of the senate as assistant to her husband.

VAN WERT — Thru the co-operation of the Treway club in lending financial aid, the Van Wert post of the American Legion is to have a fully equipped and uniformed band in the near future.

VAN WERT — Judge C. A. Balcovek was injured by a fall last Saturday is reported to be steadily improving. An X-ray examination showed he had sustained a slight fracture of the skull and a fracture of the upper part of the left arm.

RECORD OF AUTO SALES, PLAN

Legislator Hopes to Check The of Machines

WILL INTRODUCE MEASUR

Facts Must Be Sworn to Before Notary

COLUMBUS — A public record of the sale of every automobile in Ohio will be required if a bill, to be introduced in the legislature by Senator J. F. Atwood, Columbus, passes. Senator Atwood in introducing the bill, he said, will make the point that auto stealing will end when "fences" are removed, when a machine may not be purchased unless the seller shows a certificate of ownership.

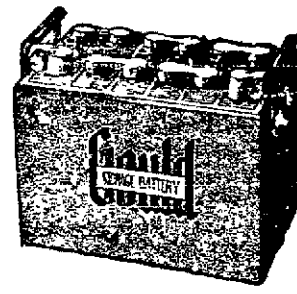
The measure has the backing of the Ohio State Auto Association, 56 affiliated clubs and 40,000 members, and the approval of Secretary of State Smith. A copy of it has been given to A. M. Calland, attorney for the Ohio Auto Dealers' Association, and the co-operation of the body asked.

The measure requires that when a machine is sold, the seller must go to the purchaser a bill of sale giving forth the previous owner, if an engine number, make of car and other identification features. It is unlawful for a man to buy a machine without obtaining this bill of sale from the seller.

Data on the bill of sale must be sworn to before a notary. A duplicate of the bill must be filed with the clerk of courts of the county by the purchaser within three days after the sale. The clerk shall make alphabetical indexes of sellers and purchasers.

Failure to give or obtain a bill of sale is punishable by \$25 to \$100 fine, one to five years imprisonment or both. Lesser penalties are provided for failure to have a bill of sale sworn to, misrepresentation as to the history of the car, and failure to file bill of sale and the like.

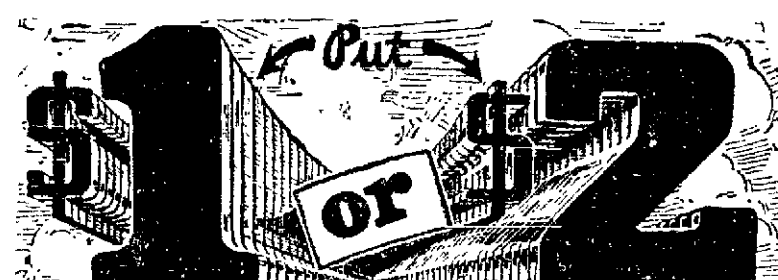
Every owner must obtain from the clerk of courts a certified statement that he is the owner and setting forth a description of the car. The need not be carried when on trip, but Atwood believes on long trips the owner should carry it for his own protection.



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BANKRUPTCY SALE AT THE Sample Shop

A Sale That Will Be Worth Waiting for.

What Department Heads of The Lima News AND TIMES-DEMOCRAT

Believe About Lima's Leading Newspaper

Summary of the Old Year and Forecast for the Future

By L. S. GALVIN, Vice President and General Manager.

THE SAME PRIDE which a parent experiences when looking upon the healthy, broad-minded, even good looking child reaching maturity, is felt by the writer when he fondles a copy of The Lima News & Times-Democrat of to day, comparing it in his mind's eye with The Lima News on its birth, Thanksgiving Day, 1897, or mentally viewing it alongside the same Lima News in January, 1909, when the present company assumed ownership and management.

In this period, rapidly nearing the quarter-century mark, the plant has grown from a valuation of \$2,800 to the most modern of its kind in Ohio, easily marketable at \$150,000. And the greatest of its 23 years has been the year 1920.

For many years, Lima had one too many newspapers to possess one exceedingly good newspaper; the kind of a paper which Lima, as the metropolis of Northwestern Ohio and the trading center of the district, really and truly deserved. It was a financial impossibility to produce as good

a newspaper as needed, when the field was divided three ways, but with the merger of the two evening newspapers last May, readers of The Lima News received over night a dual and extensive press service not equalled in cities twice Lima's population.

Dayton, Youngstown, Canton, Akron—look them all over or even Cincinnati, Toledo, or Columbus. In no one of them does one newspaper deliver to its readers the leased wire press reports of BOTH the Associated Press and the United Press, the greatest news gathering organizations in the world. In none of these cities are ALL the best features of the newspaper field found in a single issue as you get it in The Lima News & Times-Democrat.

Despite these editorial facts, The Lima News produces advertising to merchants at lower rates per thousand of people reached than any one of the papers cited in other Ohio cities. Its circulation rates are approximately the same, because of the price of white paper, which starting today, is costing The News 2c a pound more than it did in January, 1920. But the big idea of the management has been to produce something better, selling cheaper than can be produced and sold in other cities of Lima's population.

For the New Year the management has already had its staff of executive managers, composed of the Managing Editor, the Advertising Manager, the Circulation Manager, the composing room Foreman and the press room Superintendent, in session. This board meets every Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and about the table is mapped out the campaigns for the week, the corrections of any existing evils, the maintenance of equipment and service. This year great things are planned, which will mature if Lima gets back on its industrial stride. Today, there is little room for city growth, because everybody takes The Lima News, and there are actually delivered by carrier, sold on the streets and in news stands, MORE papers than there are homes in the city.

But The Lima News has never made promises. It has always done it first before calling attention to it. It does not believe in running a big streamer saying "The Best Sport Page In Lima," because it knows if it is the best sport page, the public quickly recognizes it.

Therefore, we promise you nothing for 1921, but we plan many things; all centering around the ideal of more than any other city possesses. With this, we give way to the statements of the Editorial, Advertising and Circulation managers.

(BY EARL R. LEACH, MANAGING EDITOR)

WITH the passing of the old year and the beginning of the new, we feel amply repaid for a year of untiring endeavor and constant service by the kindly feeling which has been demonstrated by our friends. We have seen this feeling exemplified in many ways, but the one which speaks the loudest is contained in another article on this page in which the increase in circulation is shown in actual figures.

We are ever willing to place our case in the hands of the jury composed of the great reading public. So long as that jury continues to submit flattering verdicts such as that during 1920 we feel that our labors are not in vain.

It is our chief aim that this newspaper shall be operated for service; that everything that goes to make up a complete newspaper shall be included and it has been to attain this aim that our efforts have been given during the last twelve months.

At the beginning of the year we told our readers that we had many things in store for them; that we had plans to give them a better paper.

When that statement was made we did not know that our available supply of material would be increased as it was on May 1, when the absorption of another newspaper gave us access to things we could not get before.

Feeling that our record for the last year for news and service to the public stands for itself and gratified by the approval given it, we believe it apropos at this time to inform our readers what we have to work with for the coming year.

The Lima News now has and will continue to have telegraph service unsurpassed by any newspaper in the United States, the Associated Press and United Press.

Our local staff compares favorably with those of cities twice the size. A trained corps of writers compile the news of Lima for you and in addition trained newspaper writers in every town and village within a radius of 50 miles are constantly supplying the public with news that you may know what your neighbors are doing.

Our editorial columns, containing more comment daily than any paper in this section, are the product of our own office and not bought by the week from a writer 500 miles from Lima. Comment, free and independent, influenced by no class or interest, but ever mindful of the general welfare of the public, has established an enviable record of fair-dealing for this paper.

Our market and business page has been developed with the idea of containing everything any reader could desire.

News for women is an important feature of The Lima News. Local happenings are handled in an expert manner; telegraph and special features; our daily serials and high-class continued story together with other attractive and valuable material make this one of the best women's papers to be had.

"Bringing Up Father," "Mutt and Jeff" and "Abe Martin" are recognized as the greatest cartoon features of the day.

Without going into detail, suffice it to say that nothing will be taken away from The News of 1920. Much in addition has been planned and will be introduced.

(BY R. E. ASHLEY, ADVERTISING MANAGER)

During the year of 1920 The Lima News acquired the distinction among national advertisers of being the "try-out" paper of the north central states, for repeated experiences have proven that "if The Lima News cannot sell it, it can not be sold."

The Lima News has become recognized as an unusual advertising medium. The field or territory covered is ideal inasmuch as it embraces industrial, rural and suburban centers. The industrial conditions seldom fluctuate and the farms return rich harvests. Thruout this ideal territory the Lima News has a circulation remarkable among the papers of the entire country for its volume and the completeness of its distribution. These features have combined to make the Lima News the best "buy" for the size of the community in the United States.

The total amount of advertising carried by The News during 1920 exceeded 1919 by over a half million inches, in spite of trying conditions during a portion of the year when the white paper situation called forth restrictions, embarrassing to the publisher and advertiser alike.

A comparison as shown below of the inches of advertising carried during 1920 and 1919 proves that The News is forging ahead with commendable gains:

Year	Total Amt.	Local	National	Classified
1920	592,868	415,341	102,172	75,355
1919	549,878	389,023	99,884	60,971
Gains	42,990	26,318	2,288	14,384

Newspaper advertising has never gone thru a more severe test than it is undergoing at present. If newspaper advertising can move goods in a market such as exists today its powers are even greater than its most enthusiastic friends have asserted. And Lima News advertising positively and definitely has moved in huge volume merchandise of Lima stores the past two months.

To better serve the advertiser The News has created a service division in its advertising department. The experiences and advice of trained copy men are and will be during the coming year, at the disposal of our patrons. Illustrated mat services second to none in the country are included in our free service, and our copy writers are available to new clients.

Our aim for 1921 is a higher conception of advertising as an educational force and an instrument of public weal. It is not enough that advertising sells goods, buys good will, lowers distribution and production costs, develops the science of business and promotes the interest of the consumer—these measure its lesser usefulness. This department desires to assist advertisers in securing the maximum results from money invested in our columns. We realize that advertising must pay if the advertiser is to continue to invest his money. Therefore we are confident that any appropriation for News advertising must result in sales of ten times the amount of the appropriation.

There is no better newspaper space buy in America than The Lima News. If The News can not sell it, it cannot be sold.

(BY RAY F. CORCORAN, CIRCULATION MANAGER)

The circulation department of The Lima News has experienced the most remarkable growth in its history during the year of 1920. Expansions have been made necessary in every branch of this department to cope with the increase in the number of our deliveries.

The United States census which was completed during the year 1920 shows that the population of Lima increased 35.4 per cent in ten years, while the circulation record of The Lima News for December shows an increase of 77 per cent in the city of Lima alone, over January of 1920 and the suburban circulation in towns and on rural route are showing a wonderful comparison.

The Lima News has the distinction of having the largest circulation of any newspaper in any city the size of Lima in the United States.

The postoffice department of this city only requires the services of 26 carriers to make the distribution of mail, while the services of 65 carriers and 45 substitute carriers are necessary to make the distribution of The News, in Lima alone. While these carriers are making their deliveries, 48 wide awake street sellers are making their rounds adding to the travelling public and to what few residents of Lima who are not regular readers of Lima's leading newspaper. There are 62 carriers required to make the distribution of The News in small towns within a radius of 27 miles of Lima, while scores of other people not directly connected with our office are making the deliveries on rural routes.

The aim of the circulation department for the coming year is to make delivery service 100 per cent perfect, and we assure patrons that any assistance or recommendations that they can make for the benefit of our service will certainly be appreciated.

And this brings us to boys. Few parents recognize what a wonderful business training a carrier boy receives. He becomes in fact a little merchant in his teens, conducting his own books, making his own collections and settling his weekly bill at the office. Finding boys is not nearly so hard a problem for the circulation manager as finding the right sort of parents. If parents could know the business genius developed by our newsboys, they would enter their boy for a carrier's route as soon as he reached the age of ten years.

And besides this, boys are given special training in decorum and in meeting people. Politeness is instilled and honesty is such a consistent jewel that it is seldom a boy ever goes wrong financially.

My appeal in fact for 1921 is that parents look into this phase of business training for their youth. Our routes pay the boys far more than the average parent realizes; delivery requires less than two hours a day and collections are made Saturdays out of school hours.

FIRE CHIEF FILES SENSATIONAL REPORT

PART OF CITY IS
UNPROTECTEDClaim Made by Head of City Fire
Fighters

MAKES APPEAL TO COUNCIL

Fire Loss in 1920 \$231,163
Greater Than 1919

Sensational revelations were made public Saturday by Fire Chief John Mack in his annual report to council, pointing out that parts of Lima are unprotected against fires due to lack of sufficient number of water hydrants, alarm boxes, and the small number of men employed in the department.

Chief Mack appeals to council to give immediate help in remedying the situation, which is a menace to the industrial district of Lima on the South Side, he says.

In case of a fire of any magnitude, the Chief says, the department would be badly handicapped in fighting the blaze.

WOULD BAN RUBBER HOSE
He also asks council to pass two ordinances, one creating a fire line around fires, and the other prohibiting the use of rubber connections for gas pipes and gas stoves.

"The rapid growth of Lima's population is remarkable building developments, the number of large structures distributed over the city's area of eight square miles, increased property values and the many manufacturing and mercantile establishments, and the numerous residences that must be guarded against fires, fully justify me in every recommendation herein set forth," the Chief says in the report.

The recommendations are mainly based on changes in the general plan of operation, rendered necessary by the greater use of motor apparatus and natural conditions of adjustments," the report states.

"That the Chief's car be replaced with a light 'squad car' to carry four men and necessary equipment for first aid. This plan of fire department operation is being carried out in all cities of importance. They are known as 'squad cars' and respond to every alarm of fire as the Chief's car does here stations run in central station for downtown protection when Central is called out. The present Chief's car could be utilized in fire work, care of fire hydrants and inspection work, which requires a great deal of time."

ASKS FOR NEW PUMPER
"That the Nott steam fire engine be replaced with a modern pumping engine capable of lifting six lines of hose. Our Nott has been in service for 20 years, it is in bad condition and has been pronounced unsafe. It cannot be used upon at time of fires."

"Many locations where there are a great number of houses erected on water mains and fire hydrants. The interests on the South Side make it necessary that more fire hydrants be located to properly protect an hour (to put it that way) flames could quickly destroy millions in property valuations."

It is obvious that the destruction or even crippling of any of the great establishments would work a public hardship. I am speaking in moderation on these points, and not in detail having discussed them fully on other occasions. Some of the present water mains in this district are not of sufficient size to furnish an amount of water necessary in event of fire of any consequence."

"The water tarpsauls be purchased for salvage purposes at fires. I am convinced that considerable can be avoided by the use of hose covers which are 21x12 feet. This would prove a very valuable addition to our equipment. It must be borne in mind, however, that we do not have a sufficient number of men to do the work as effectively as it should be done."

The importance of having only strong and unimpaired hose for use in fires is too plain to be debated, no other kind being safe nor reliable. Much of our hose has been long and hard service, and naturally has become impaired and should be replaced by good hose. I would suggest that five hundred feet of 2 1/2 inch double-jacket, rubber lined hose be purchased this year.

"That necessary tools and equipment be purchased for the maintenance of a suitable machine or repair shop at headquarters. With the large number of motor driven vehicles in service, adequate facilities are a necessity. Many repairs could be made by the department which would always keep the apparatus in service. The expense of tools and other equipment would not mean a great outlay."

SHORTAGE OF MEN
"I wish to call your attention to the fact that the fire department is too short of men to care properly for

the fire hydrants. It is imperative that they should be turned over to the water department where they belong, as that department has the men and the necessary repairs and are prepared to give them the care they should have. Present conditions do not permit the fire department doing this work without reducing the force, which is already too small for a city the size of Lima.

"Owing to the dangers connected with the use of rubber gas hose connections to hot plates and gas stoves, I suggest that an ordinance be enacted prohibiting the use and sale of same in this city and making violations of same subject to a fine."

"That additional fire hydrants be purchased. The city needs about fifty new hydrants. I also suggest that one dozen large hydrants of modern type be installed in the business section, replacing those now in service and which could be moved to other locations. Hydrants should be installed as new mains are laid. To install them later means an additional cost to the city."

"I am forced to call your attention to necessity of additional fire alarm boxes to care for the newly built up sections of the city where there is practically no way of turning in an alarm."

"That a fire line ordinance be created. It would prove a great benefit to the department, as the people moved by curiosity often get in the way of the apparatus and hinder the work of the firemen."

Three hundred and fifty-seven alarms were turned in during 1920, according to the report. In regard to these, the report reads:

"Dwellings head the list of fires in the occupancy classification as usual, but these are small fires as a rule and do not average much above \$100; a remarkably small figure. Defective flues and chimneys caused nine fires while the number the previous year was 11; chimney soot caused 15 alarms. Sparks from chimneys caused 54 fires, while locomotive sparks accounted for seven others. Wall paper, and picture flue stoves caused seven alarms; the fire was out when the department arrived generally, but the scare was not over. All flue holes not in use should have metal caps.

"Lighting caused two fires in

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WOMEN ON COUNTY
FAIR BOARDMay Vote and be Voted for as
Members and Officers

M. L. ROEDER IS PRESIDENT

Privilege Requests for 1921 Fair
Being Received

Allen Co. Fair Board, in session Saturday, at the court house, adopted a resolution giving the women the right to vote for members of the fair board and to be elected as members and officers of the board.

Speed committee for the year, appointed by the president, comprised Joseph Gahagan, G. D. Creamean and H. E. Botkins.

After the financial report for 1920 was read and approved by the old board, the meeting was adjourned in favor of the new board. The figures of the report are as follows: Total receipts, \$16,532.42; total expenditures, \$16,575.23. This includes the payment of back premiums for 1918.

NEW MEMBERS INDUCTED
New members of the board are

Irvin Ridenour, Perry; W. A. Ebrman, Lima; H. L. Williams, Auslaize; G. W. Michael, Mansfield; Christ Louth, Spencer; M. L. Mayer, Lima. These men were sworn in by Probate Judge Becker.

M. L. Roeder, of Bath, was elected president; George Breese, Shawnee, vice-president; M. L. Mayer, Lima, secretary, and G. D. Creamean, of Lima, treasurer. These men were elected by unanimous vote.

The following superintendents for the fair were appointed: Grounds,

needlework, education and fine art, G. L. Breese.

Privilege requests for the next fair, August 23-26, are already pouring in and it is the request of Secretary Mayer that anyone wishing to make reservations, do so as soon as possible.

ATTEND COLUMBUS MEET
A delegation from Lima comprising M. L. Mayer, M. L. Roeder, Irving Ridenour, G. D. Creamean, C. C. Arnold and H. E. Botkins will meet with fair officers from Van Wert, Bowling Green, Kenton, and Springfield and Toledo at Columbus January 12 and 13.

A banquet will be held at the Hotel Deshler on January 12. Speakers will be C. T. Marshall, chief justice of the supreme court of Ohio; J. E. Campbell, Ex-Governor of Ohio; A. P. Sandies, president Ohio Fair circuit; N. E. Shaw, secretary state board of agriculture; C. J. Brown, lieutenant governor of Ohio; J. Tabor, master State Grange and J. E. Russell, of Sidney.

PREACHER FREED

Held for Mann Violation, Released Under Bond

PASSAIC, N. J., Jan. 8.—Rev. Cornelius Deane, former pastor of the First Netherlands Reformed Church tonight was free on \$5,000 bail, following his arraignment today for alleged violation of the Mann

The dominie who is also being sued by the Dutch minister for the choir girl, with whom he is alleged to have eloped to Buffalo and Canada, for \$25,000 for breach of promise, tonight prepared to face his former congregation at tomorrow morning's services. He declared he would occupy a pew near the front.

The parents of Miss Hanneberg have also brought suit for \$10,000 against the Dutch minister for various inconveniences and damages brought to the family because of the daughter's absence.

TO ERECT DEWEY STATUE
MANILA, P. I., Jan. 8.—The Dewey Memorial committee today decided upon the erection of a statue to Admiral Dewey, on the shore of Manila Bay. The United States congress will be asked to appropriate half the funds and the Philippine legislature to appropriate half.

C. C. MEMBERS TO
MAP PROGRAMGroup Meetings Give All Chance
to be Heard

NEW PLAN AUGERS SUCCESS

Thought Survey on "What Lima
Needs" is Arranged

After the group meetings of the membership of the Lima Chamber of Commerce, which start next Thursday for the purpose of a thought survey on "What Lima Needs," the construction of the program of work from those suggestions will be the next step taken in the building of the foundation for Lima's reconstructed organization.

The program of work will be prepared in three parts, the first of which will be the major program of work. The second will be the forum or discussion program and the third will be the supplementary activities.

PROJECTS, MAJOR AND MINOR
It usually develops in every city that there are a half dozen or more projects in which a very large number of the commercial organization members of the city are interested.

These will constitute the major program, which is made up of activities to be undertaken immediately because of a general demand.

Then will come a number of projects of apparent fundamental merit, the need for which is understood by a thinking minority, but which cannot be achieved until made popular or which public discussion and decision of the membership at large finally agree to abandon or postpone. These will comprise the second group which will be the forum or discussion program.

The third group of supplementary activities will be those affecting or interesting but small groups of members. The program of this work is fluid in its practical application. Planks of its divisions pass from one group to another by action of the

board of directors, in accordance with the state of public mind in relation to a project. It will be compiled as a workable weekly week instrument, but with recognition that constant eliminations and additions and frequent transpositions from one division to another will be necessary and desirable.

TEST OF IDEAS AFFORDED
"Ideas suggested by members in these meetings get their first test in the general discussion which follows. In the first place a speaker will present only his best and broadest thinking to a meeting of this kind, but more than this," said Manager Johnson Saturday, in outlining the plan, "the disagreement which always follows any foolhardy suggestion will eliminate it without interference by the chairman or secretary except in extreme cases. The program of group meetings bring the more minds to bear on every suggestion made before it is written down and we need have little fear of the action of the cool collective mind."

The group meeting chairman will hold their session for complete instructions at 1:30 p. m. Monday in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. The chairman will make up their own schedules, selecting the days and times for their meetings, which will start Thursday. It is expected that this preliminary feature of the year's work will be completed in about two weeks and that by the end of that time practically all of the 1348 members of the chamber will have visited the rooms and placed in writing their "order" for the job to be done during the current year.

CHARGE OF SHOOTING
Ralph Turner, negro, charged with slaying a shooting affray in Oliver's cabin saloon, S. Union-st., will be before the grand jury on the charge of shooting with intent to kill. He was bound over a week ago from municipal court.

Melvin Dove, S. Metcalf-st., who is charged with stealing wood from Frank Bowsher, Shawnee-twp farmer, will be before the body on the charge of theft of the fuel. Testimony introduced in Justice Botkin's court, from which he was bound over, is to the effect he went into Bowsher's woods and hauled the wood away on a truck. Other cases to be investigated are those of H. G. Murray, charged with forging and uttering false checks and Clarence McAdow, abandonment of a sick woman.

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A. U. Walker and wife, real estate brokers, have sued Perry H. Stomen and his wife for \$422.20, claimed as commission on a land sale of \$14,888.

GRAND JURY TO
START PROBEJanuary Term Opens Monday—
Five Cases Up

SESSION LIKELY BRIEF

Twenty-Three Witnesses Have
Been Summoned

Work of the January grand jury in Allen Co., which will convene Monday, will probably be of only two days' duration, according to announcement by Prosecuting Attorney Eugene T. Lippincott Saturday.

Five cases will be up for investigation. Twenty-three witnesses have been called.

Among the cases to be considered are that of Tony Carabini, charged with carrying weapons and impersonating an officer, according to police. His case comes to the grand jury from municipal court.

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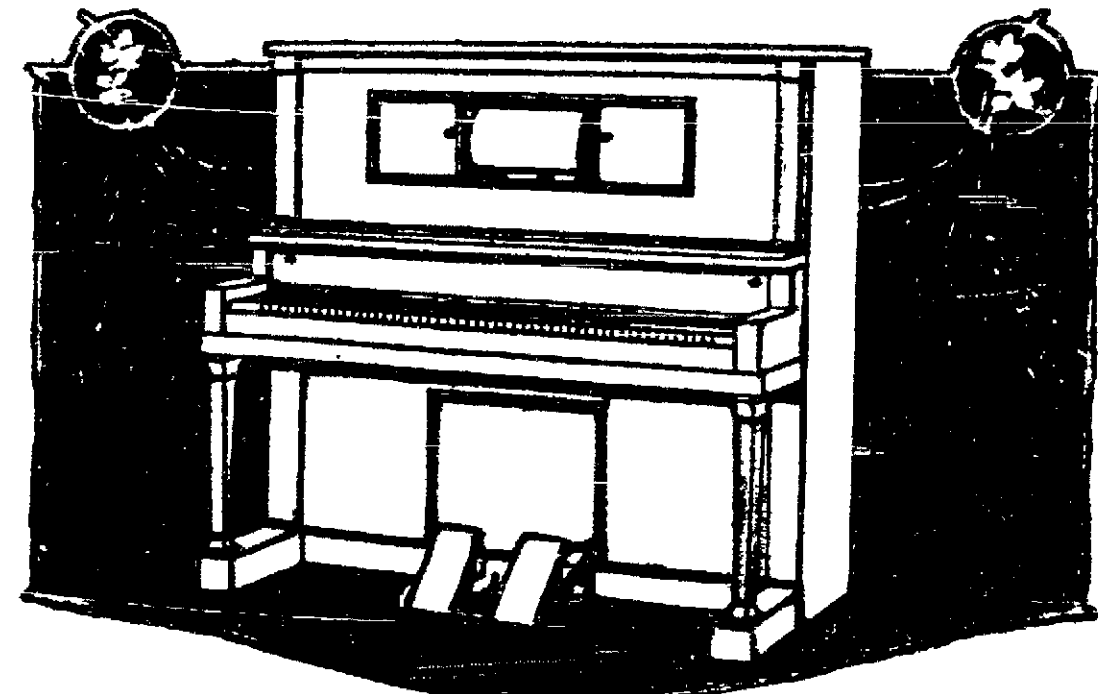
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BUSINESS CONDITIONS

THE turn of the year has brought with it an optimism which is pervading financial and industrial circles alike. Throughout the East there is a better tone, while in the west the resumption of dates announced for resumption of automobile factories, gives definite information that the worst is over.

Money is still tight, largely caused, it is believed, by the income tax laws which permit little capital for reinvestment for the wealthy classes, holding approximately 98 per cent of the re-investment wealth of this country. These laws will undoubtedly be corrected by the new congress to be assembled in March, and the law to govern for 1921 will eliminate surtaxes and excess profits.

Deflation has now reached crude oil, the last to give way to it. On the contrary the silk market is up again, and will probably advance before spring, while copper has shown that it is on the sub-bottom and is tightening. These are small signs, but they are barometers. Textile mills are resuming on the seaboard, another evidence that the supply in storage has been practically consumed.

Abroad, conditions continue abortive. England has its labor troubles which seemingly are unsolvable, and even a change in power may come there. France is cocky about Germany's delay in meeting the treaty terms; while Germany and its people are hopeless, with nothing on which to build.

Locally, Lima looks good. With only its largest industry running 100 per cent capacity, there are but fifteen rentable houses in the city at a time when usually all other industries are in the slump of a ten per cent capacity as a fair average. Where will we get the housing for the people who must come here when all of our industries get a-going?

A dozen or more apartment houses are in the hands of architects; one big six-story two and three-room apartment in the heart of the downtown district is practically assured; a home-building firm announces a campaign of six hundred dwellings; this is too big, but there may be two hundred put under the hammer for construction, as the announcement comes from a home builder of big proportions. In the Builders exchange ten or more contractors are laying plans for home-building. Thus will be solved the housing problem. And mark this, Lima real estate will not go down; rents will fall only for old properties. The workingman's home of the future will be around \$5,000 rather than the one-time \$1,200 investment.

In mercantile lines, the situation is stalemate. Retail buyers do not realize the heavy losses merchants have undergone and will continue to undergo during January. Prices are at the bottom in all retail lines, and the new merchandise for spring will be slightly higher rather than lower.

Banks of the city made splendid reports during the week under the call of the comptroller and state superintendent of banking. The Two National banks show over \$2,000,000 assets; while the Lima Trust enters the \$4,000,000 class; and one institution always recognized as private, is well above a million and half. Yet with these gains, Lima is short of loanable funds for its requirements.

The man with a smile and the fighter will reap a big reward during 1921. To the individual and to the young, a savings account is most desirable at the start of this new year. No man or woman without some capital can hope to succeed in life. There is a million dollar difference between the person with \$100 and the person in debt \$100. The two are not in the same class at all, even tho' but \$200 capital is the seeming difference.

It is going to be a great year for everybody and it is up to you to get in on the wave of prosperity which will start this spring.

WEATHER—PRESENT AND FUTURE

GUESSING on the state of the weather to be, is an indoor sport which all, old and young, play at.

It requires no paraphernalia, other than a perfectly good imagination, tinged with desire and the possession of an up to date weather chart or almanac with long range predictions.

Mild temperature during the fore part of January, such as this section has been experiencing, is rather unusual and disconcerts the weather-wise who generally have it all figured out as to just what the entire winter season is to bring, before it begins.

Those who go by signs, the thickness of the fur on wild animals, the quantity of nuts stored away for the winter by squirrels and by the goose-bone idea, are all at sea as to what may actually be expected during the remainder of January and February.

Long range folks, who miss it more often than they hit it, are also divided among themselves on the point of continued "open winter" or a severe winter yet to come. However, it is generally conceded that the weather problem is a good example of "nothing to worry about," for in the last analysis it is quite evident that the predictions made by the average person is ruled altogether by their desire in the premises.

The real optimist doesn't worry about the weather, but accepts it as it comes without grumbling, satisfied that it's all right and none of his business, any way.

IN AID OF MATRIMONY

THIS thing of being a real benefactor to humanity is a sentiment that sways men's souls at times in an irresistible manner.

The "bug" has attacked Representatives Charles Brenner of Cuyahoga-co tooth and claw. But, maybe after all it's only a sly plan Charlie has of organizing a voting machine, with recruits thru his new club, induced by gratitude.

Here's what Brenner has done. Thru his ingenuity in devising an aid to matrimony, the widowers' and widows' club of Cuyahoga-co has been organized, articles of incorporation having been filed with the secretary of state.

The papers state that the club is designed to bring about "educational and social benefit for its members," but its real purpose is to bring together lonely widows and widowers, with a view to matrimony. Brenner says there's no secret about it; that's the whole object of the club.

Brenner deserves a medal for originality at least. It's a fine thing for Cuyahoga-co folks who have lost, by death, or misplaced, by divorce, their husbands or wives and who desire to take another hitch at matrimony.

Going a bit further, Brenner might hire an office girl, or record keeper, as 'twere, to faithfully chronicle the pedigrees of the eligibles seeking mates. Number of times previously married; widowed by death, or otherwise; number of children expected to go along with the matrimonial bargain; age of eligibles, condition of eyes and teeth, whether afflicted with corns, chilblains, ingrowing toenails and a few other details, of course would have to be set down.

The success or failure of Brenner's bright idea will be watched with no small amount of interest by those eligible for membership in the Cleveland club, but too far removed to be enrolled as active members.

MUNICIPAL DEFICIENCY

LIMA is facing the same sort of crisis that is the portion of most every city and town in the State of Ohio.

A deficiency for operating expenses for the year 1921 is inevitable unless the legislature makes it possible to issue deficiency bonds without a vote of the people. And even then, the relief will be only temporary, for without an increased income, 'twill only be rushing deeper into debt as against the final day of retribution.

It is well understood that with the cost of the operation of municipal government having mounted higher and higher as the city grows and expands, the revenue from taxation under old values is inadequate to meet the demands made upon it.

The only avenue of relief, therefore, is a reappraisal of real estate and the placing of same on the tax duplicate at somewhere near its real valuation. Council is facing the problem of paying necessary expenses for the upkeep of the city, with sufficient revenue in sight lacking.

Financial officers of the city, figuratively speaking, are "sweating blood" in efforts to meet the constantly developing situations that require more and more money. It is a condition that calls for prompt and effective action, in some manner.

MISS LIMA: "Remembering the coal price gouge one easily recalls the old saying of the wind being tempered to the shorn lamb."

AS YOU LIKE IT



OLD SCISSORS SAYS:

"Maybe he was an anti-prohibitionist, this man who promised his wife \$10 every time she heard him swear and was later informed that he owed her \$2,000."

We've been waiting patiently for an announcement to the effect that Bryan and Borah came out of their recent conference in perfect accord. But it's like the letter that never came.

We read in a paper that "an unidentified man was slightly killed on the railroad track this morning." It might easily have been more serious.

"Bank Presses U. S. Suit."—Headline. "And you and I are paying the tailor's bill," adds George Saiton.

The recent federal census cost \$23,765,000. It might be cheaper to have every person count his own nose and mail in the result.

Maybe Mexico will be required, sooner or later, to interfere in this country to put down the crime wave.

SOLVING THE FARM LABOR PROBLEM.

Two wives for every farmer. Some one suggests the plan. To raise much larger crops of boys. To help the poor Old Man.

The farmer's wife does half the work. From early spring till fall. And it he marries two of them. He need not work at all.



TODAY'S HEALTH HINTS

By William Brady, M. D.

IS CALOMEL STILL EXTANT?

I asserted the other day that calomel produces no effect on the liver that may not be obtained from other safer physics.

Doctors are just people. Most doctors are, at any rate. Some are not so just. I have prescribed and administered my share of calomel in my time. I used to accept what the medical fathers passed on down, and without even thinking of questioning their traditions. I used to dole out some calomel to almost every patient I attended; you know, a wee bit of a tiny teeny dose every hour or half hour for a day—something to keep the mother or nurse out of mischief while I was waiting to see what ailed the patient. Not only that, I really harbored the fancy that somehow the little course of calomel at the outset would sort of cheer up all the organs and put them in a proper receptive mood for any further abuse I might feel constrained to thrust upon them as the illness progressed.

Then I had my first child. I've borne my share. Troubles, I mean. That child was always threatening to come down with something and scaring me into a lot of study I had never intended to bother about. Somehow, when it came to administering medicine to OUR baby I wanted to KNOW WHY. There was no call, as they say in N. Carolina, no call at all to keep mother and nurse out of mischief at our house. So I thought over this calomel question. And OUR baby received no calomel. And yet, do you know, the little bambino she never came down with whatever it was, after all. That is, she never had anything very serious.

Then I had my second baby. Of course her mother was hanging round sympathizing with me and all that. But 'twas my baby. I had a hard time with the second. She seemed to know the instant I got out my calomel tablets, and no matter what I did nor how I disguised 'em, she just insisted on getting along satisfactorily without any.

Well, it is a long, sad story. We need some more laws to unburden us—we fathers. Ours is a down-trodden sex. We need a sort of a vicarious twilight sleep.

Calomel, I discovered in my investigations and researches, is now practically passe with thinking, well educated physicians—and I yearned to be in that class. As a physic, calomel was employed chiefly, but not entirely, by the back numbers of the profession, so far as it was professionally employed. It was very generally and wisely used by a great many of the Wischmeier family, especially by mothers whose cousins

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Hi Stubbins, Sez!

By William Brady, M. D.

WHAT THE STARS PREDICT

This is a lucky day. There are indications of a prosperous year for those engaged in mining, if good management is enforced.

Investigation will disclose waste and extravagance in connections not yet investigated. The government will adopt a policy of wise economy, according to the stars, doing away with unadvisable expenditures.

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YOUR NAME

By PHILIP FRANCIS NOWLA

VARIATION — Thorwaite, Limethwaite, Rowthwaite, Brathwaite, Crosthwaite, Cornthwaite, Goldthwaite.

RACIAL ORIGIN—English.

SOURCE—A locality.

Here is a group of family names based upon a word which has all disappeared from our modern vocabularies. There are really more than a dozen listed in the foregoing variations, but they are met with rather rarely, and those we have listed here are sufficient to show in manner in which such names were formed.

"Thwaite," in the ancient English speech, meant a felled place, that is, a spot in the woods which had been cleared of trees. The word is apparently of Norse origin. It is found quite frequently in the Norse records, and its use among Anglo-Saxons seems to have been confined to Cumberland and the northern sections, where there were Norse settlements and Norse influence.

Originally the name was simply a phrase denoting place of residence. This was, of course, at a much later period than that of the introduction of the word itself into the Sax speech, and accordingly as the Anglo-Saxon or Norman form was used the name was "atte Thwaite," or "de Thwaite." The variations are but the development of original efforts to describe specifically the kind "thwaite" at or in which people lived.

Thus a "thornthwaite" would be a clearing in which thorny plants were growing. A "brathwaite" was "broad" one, a "crosthwaite" one which a cross had been erected, "goldthwaite" one in which yellow flowers grew and so on.

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Artie Small has announced his engagement to a prosperous and steady domestic, Lionel Moots, an' bride have decided to board till they kin agree on a davenport.

DANCE

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Theatre Offerings In Prospect For The Present Week Promise Better Than Those Of First Week Of The New Year

You See the Good Ones
First In Lima's Up-to-
Date Movie Playhouses

FEATURES OF ORPHEUM BILL

What is heralded as one of the most excruciatingly funny farce comedy playlets ever written and offered in vaudeville will be the headliner extra-ordinary of the bill of six stellar acts for the first half of this week at the Orpheum theatre, starting at the matinee this afternoon and the two shows tonight, when there will be a complete change of show at the local playhouse.

This play is called "The Ice Man," presented by the celebrated comedian, Charles Rogers, supported by a clever cast of one pretty girl and another funster of talent. It is declared that "The Ice Man" is funnier even than "Prevarications," which last season set the high-water mark of hilarity at the Orpheum.

Bell and Dan will offer a genuine surprise of song, dance and capers, different in its entirety from anything heretofore seen in Lima and expected to prove a particularly bright spot.

A flame of real Slavic art and beauty is the Czigane Troupe of whirlwind acrobatic dancing and feats of superb appeal. The act is staged in brilliant and colorful fashion.

Col. Pattee and Comrade will offer an episode from Sixty-One which is declared to be refreshing in its quaint appeal and its charm of sincerity.

Comely sparkles and scintillated with harmony interpolations will be offered by Dale and De Voe.

Revolving Collins will offer thrills galore.

For the last half of the week there will be two big headline attractions—"The Freshman," a blaze of youth, beauty, melody and fun—and the Dixie Four, a comedy harmony vocal quartette.

Miss Vanderkoor, harpist, will appear on the Regent's program today and possibly all week, according to an announcement made Saturday.

The appearance of this well-known harpist comes as welcome news to the music lovers of Lima and vicinity, for this artist is one of the best known musicians in concert work today. She has recently appeared in concerts in Chicago and toured the larger cities extensively.

Miss Vanderkoor was to appear here some time ago, but on account of illness, her bookings were revised. She will give harp selections after each performance this afternoon and evening.

The Lima News Motion Picture Calendar

Attractions for the week at best photo-play houses. Cut out and keep for reference.

January 9 to Jan. 16	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Orph.	Old Soldier Fiddlers, "Days of '61" & "The Iceman" & "The Czigane" Troupe Star Acts	Old Soldier Fiddlers, "Days of '61" & "The Iceman" & "The Czigane" Troupe Star Acts	Old Soldier Fiddlers, "Days of '61" & "The Iceman" & "The Czigane" Troupe Star Acts	Old Soldier Fiddlers, "Days of '61" & "The Iceman" & "The Czigane" Troupe Star Acts	"The Freshman" with a bevy of beautiful girls Five Additional Vaudeville Hits	"The Freshman" with a bevy of beautiful girls Five Additional Vaudeville Hits	"The Freshman" with a bevy of beautiful girls Five Additional Vaudeville Hits
Sigma	"One Thousand to One," with Hobart Bosworth Added Attraction Nalla Axmi Mind Reader	"One Thousand to One," with Hobart Bosworth Added Attraction Nalla Axmi Mind Reader	"One Thousand to One," with Hobart Bosworth Added Attraction Nalla Axmi Mind Reader	"One Thousand to One," with Hobart Bosworth Added Attraction Nalla Axmi Mind Reader	Viola Dana in "Cinderella's Twin" Also Nalla Axmi Mind Reader	Viola Dana in "Cinderella's Twin" Also Nalla Axmi Mind Reader	Viola Dana in "Cinderella's Twin" Also Nalla Axmi Mind Reader
Regent	Tom Moore in "Hold Your Horses From the Story 'Canavan' And a Comedy	Tom Moore in "Hold Your Horses From the Story 'Canavan' And a Comedy	Tom Moore in "Hold Your Horses From the Story 'Canavan' And a Comedy	Marshall Neilan's "Dinty" with Wesley Barry Also Special Christie Comedy	Marshall Neilan's "Dinty" with Wesley Barry Also Special Christie Comedy	Marshall Neilan's "Dinty" with Wesley Barry Also Special Christie Comedy	Marshall Neilan's "Dinty" with Wesley Barry Also Special Christie Comedy
Lyric	The County Fair with Wesley (Freckles) Barry Three-act Comedy and Symphony Orchestra	The County Fair with Wesley (Freckles) Barry Three-act Comedy and Symphony Orchestra	The County Fair with Wesley (Freckles) Barry Three-act Comedy and Symphony Orchestra	The County Fair with Wesley (Freckles) Barry Three-act Comedy and Symphony Orchestra	Louise Huff in "What Women Want" Also Comedy Feature	Louise Huff in "What Women Want" Also Comedy Feature	Louise Huff in "What Women Want" Also Comedy Feature
Majestic	"The River's End" with all star cast, Bennett's "The Village Smithy"	"The River's End" with all star cast, Bennett's "The Village Smithy"	Bryant Washburn in "The Poor Devil" Pay Tinsler in "Striking Models"	Bryant Washburn in "The Poor Devil" Pay Tinsler in "Striking Models"	Geraldine Farrar in "The World and Its Woman" Also Comedy	Wm. Russell in "The Valley of Tomorrow" and 1st Episode Serial "The Veiled Mystery" with Antonio Moreno	Wm. Russell in "The Valley of Tomorrow" and 1st Episode Serial "The Veiled Mystery" with Antonio Moreno
Royal	Edith Sterling in "A Daughter of the West" Two-Reel Comic	Edith Sterling in "A Daughter of the West" Two-Reel Comic	Edith Sterling in "A Daughter of the West" Two-Reel Comic	Edith Sterling in "A Daughter of the West" Two-Reel Comic	Stroheim's "The Devil's Pass Key" Special Comedy	Stroheim's "The Devil's Pass Key" Special Comedy	Stroheim's "The Devil's Pass Key" Special Comedy
Rialto	"The Lamb" with Douglas Fairbanks	"The Lamb" with Douglas Fairbanks	Frank Mayo in "Hitchin' Posts"	Frank Mayo in "Hitchin' Posts"	All-Star Cast in "Under Northern Lights"	All-Star Cast in "Under Northern Lights"	All-Star Cast in "Under Northern Lights"

HARPIST AT THE REGENT

Theatre Managers Keeping Resolution Made to Afford Movie Fans of Lima Only the Best of Productions of the Cinema World

Lyric, Sigma, Majestic, Regent and Royal, All Start the Week With High Class Productions, Latest From Movieland

(By ESTHER WAGNER)

THE second week of the New Year bids fair to far surpass the first in the way of cinema triumphs, and judging from the list of attractions scheduled to be flashed on local screens during the next seven days, theatre managers are keeping their resolutions to present to film-fans only the newest and best in picture plays.

The current program ranges from the very lightest of comedy offerings to the more tragic dramas. Two splendid examples of the more pretentious kind of fun films are "The County Fair," which opens today at the Lyric theatre for a four-day engagement, and Marshall Neilan's "Dinty," with the well-known and well-liked freckle faced star, Wesley Barry. "Dinty" will be shown at the Regent the last of the week.

For those who enjoy the picture dramatic, there is "One Thousand to One," which Manager Deardourff is presenting at the Sigma theatre. Hobart Bosworth has been given the star role.

Bainy Little Louise Huff, almost a stranger to Lima screens, will be presented at the Lyric the last of the week in "What Women Want," a sort of problem play with Miss Huff at her best.

There are several delightful "go-betweens" like "Hold Your Horses" with Tom Moore, and "Cinderella's Twin" with the vivacious Miss Viola Dana. Both of these films have strong plots, but are developed in a lighter vein and furnish first-class entertainment. The former is scheduled to show at the Regent, and the latter will be offered at the Sigma.

Stars to be seen at the Majestic theatre during the coming week include such bright lights as Bryant Washburn, Geraldine Farrar and William Russell. The Rialto, too, will offer to patrons a list of attractions

right up to the minute. Douglas Fairbanks and Frank Mayo will hold sway at this theatre during the week, each in a popular picture.

A four day special picture opens today at the Royal, in the form of "A Daughter of the West" in which Miss Edith Sterling has the leading role. The last of the week brings "The Devil's Pass Key."

No matter what your favorite theatre, you will find there the very best in silver sheet entertainment, and a glance at the directory will give you all the data you need.

"THE RIVER'S END"

No play has given the public more decided insight into life as it is lived in the great North Woods than "The River's End" as presented by Marshall Neilan.

The picture has a novel plot, superbly worked out by this master director, Marjorie Daw and Jane Novak have the leading feminine roles and Lewis Stone and Charles West give able support.

A starting fight in an opium den is one of the thrilling scenes of the photoplay, and an excellent display of the art of jiu-jitsu is made. From the standpoint of production, "The River's End" is a picture of unusually splendid qualities. It is appearing today at the Majestic theatre.

COL. PATTEE AND COMRADE MCINTOSH

Two active survivors of the Original Old Soldier Fiddlers act that has

been a headline attraction over the leading vaudeville and Chautauqua circuits for the past ten years, known as The Old Soldier Fiddlers, both veterans of the Civil War will constitute the most unusual feature act at the Orpheum theatre starting Matinee today. They make no pretention to artistry in their playing.

"We don't read any music," said Col. John A. Pattee, the spokesman yesterday. "We simply saw away at the old tunes and our general average isn't very bad. We start to perform give what he terms 'Heart to Heart' talks regarding social dis-

case conditions. Mr. Bettis has two splendid feature films and some wonderful slides with which he illustrates his lectures. Children under 16 years will not be admitted.

fellows like us. We play the old tunes, the ones that people hummed and whistled before the Civil War."

LECTURER AT ROYAL

An attraction said to be different from anything ever before shown in Lima picture houses, is booked for three days, beginning today, at the Royal theatre.

Mr. William Charles Bettis, recommended by Commissioners of Health, Ministers, Doctors, Teachers and Women's Club, will at each performance give what he terms "Heart to Heart" talks regarding social dis-

case conditions. Mr. Bettis has two splendid feature films and some wonderful slides with which he illustrates his lectures. Children under 16 years will not be admitted.

Crystal Gazer At The Sigma

Nalla Axmi, the mystic and crystal gazer who comes to Sigma theatre today and all this week, does not

play claim to supernatural powers. His extraordinary telepathic powers have been many times subjected to the severest tests by the most eminent members of the medical and scientific profession.

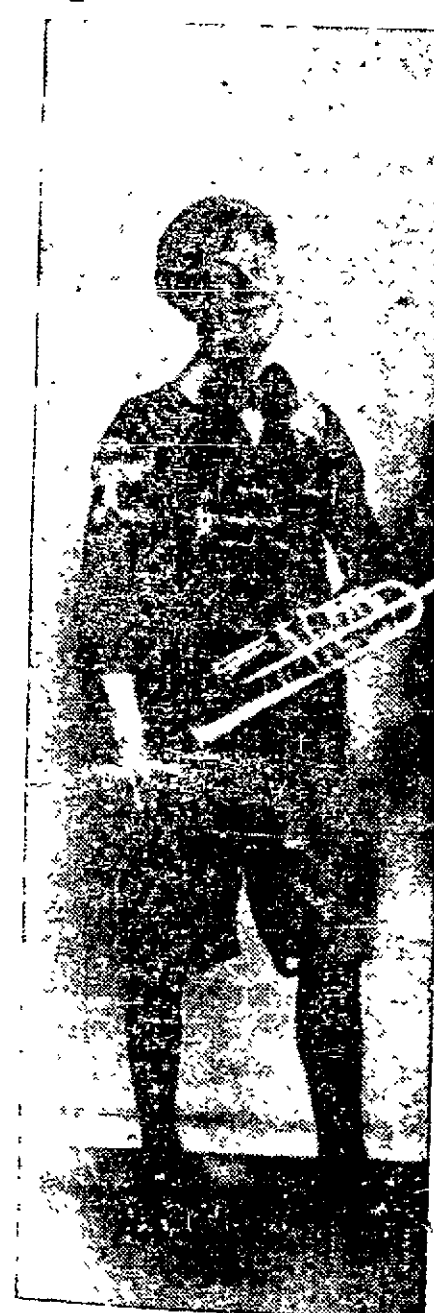
Nalla Axmi and his company offer a wonderful performance. He will answer and read any written question sealed in your own envelope; he will read the thought suggested by another; he will tell your full name and age without asking questions; he can tell you of lost friends, relatives, and missing articles. No matter which you wish to know, he knows, they say.

ASK DAD! HE KNOWS WHAT A RIOT "THE COUNTY FAIR" WAS ON THE STAGE. AND PLEASE COME EARLY.

5 DAYS BEGINNING

TODAY

Don Montgomery's Spudtown Band



HEAR

The Spudtown Band render two free concerts daily outside the Lyric theatre. Five seasons the feature of John Robinson's Circus.

SEE The Great Horse Race Scene
Tim Rescue Cold Molasses from the Burning Stable
Wesley Barry Catch the Greased Pig
The Big Midway With Its Freaks and Fakirs

LYRIC
SHINE OF THE SILENT DRAMA

MAURICE TOURNEURS
SCREEN VERSION
OF NEIL BURGESS
THRILLING RURAL AMERICAN
RACING DRAMA

The County Fair

FEATURING
WISLEY BARRY HELEN JEROME EDDY
DAVID BUTLER
ALL STAR SUPPORTING CAST
25 RACE HORSES 25
HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE

MYSTERY!

MUSEUM

ANOTHER GREAT JOY ADDED TO LIFE. IT CREATES THE DIMPLE TO CATCH THE TEAR. PLEASE COME EARLY.

5 DAYS BEGINNING

TODAY

The Village Choir and Hy's Rube Quartet



HEAR

The village choir and Hy's Rube Quartet—in a 22-minute prologue preceding each performance.

SEE Thorough-Bred Horse Race, Thousands of People and a Massive Carnival Company
Character portrayal by Wesley (Freckles) Barry, Edith Chapman, David Butler, Helen Jerome Eddy, etc.

THE SUPREME SCREEN CREATION OF THAT MASTER HAND OF STAGECRAFT WHO DIRECTED AND PRODUCED THE "WHIP AND OTHER STUPENDOUS DRAMATIC SPECTACLES."

Wesley Barry, Freckles And All, Is Coming To The Regent, Wednesday

Dinty O'Sullivan In Marshall Neilan's "Dinty", the Barry Kid Shines In a Steilar Role, as He Always Does

Tom Moore In "Hold Your Horses" at the Regent—Sigma Presents Hobart Bosworth In "A Thousand to One", Starting Sunday

ONE of the foremost productions of the year comes to the Regent this week in the form of Marshall Neilan's "Dinty". Little Wesley Barry, whose great work in "Go and Get It" firmly established his name in the minds of the theatre-goers, is the star performer. As Dinty O'Sullivan, with a bundle of newspapers under his arm and a voice twice as loud as any other kid in San Francisco's Chinatown, he fights his way thru life and makes himself head of the newsboy's trust. He does it all to provide a home for his old Irish mother. Then when she dies, Dinty has to fight the feeling that life "isn't such a much" after all, and battles to get back into the game and make himself the success his mother always longed to see him.

One night he picks up a wallet belonging to Jack North, the third assistant district attorney and returned it to him. This is the beginning of a very real friendship between the two later, when North's fiancée, Ruth Whitely, is kidnapped by a gang of cat throats. Dinty put up the great fight of his life for her. As Dinty and his gang are perfect, familiar with Chinatown, both on the surface and underground, they are enabled to do a little detective work in just the right way and at just the right time, and succeed in helping the district attorney's office to round up a band of smugglers and rescue the girl.

There is a beautiful love interest in the story, and in this, of course, Dinty has a hand as in everything else, while still running a little romance of his own. "Dinty," under the directing hand of Marshall Neilan, has become one of the most popular peturized stories of the age. It opens at the Regent next Wednesday.

If you want to see a picture unique in theme and filled with dramatic and humorous situations, see "Hold Your Horses" at the Regent today.

While Tom Moore is starred in the production, Naomi Childers has an important role, and Bertram Grassby and Sylvia Ashton are prominently cast. The story is from "Canavan," written by Rupert Hughes.

In this picture we see Tom as a street cleaner in New York, a gay, weak-kneed fellow, whose husky wife, Honora, daily used him as a target for pans and skeletons. While about his duties one day, Canavan

(Tom Moore) is run down by a Victoria occupied by a wealthy society girl, Beatrice News and her very proper escort, Rudman Cadbury, 3rd. When Canavan came out of the hospital he didn't have the nerve to go back to street cleaning and wound up as a traffic cop. The time Canavan was afraid the traffic would not heed him, but they did and with the first taste of authority he became a different man. He even went home and gave his wife a dose of her own fistic medicine.

This is only the beginning of a train of incidents that terminate in a delightful little romance between the beautiful lady and the street-cleaner. "Hold Your Horses" is the attraction today at the Regent.

"ONE THOUSAND TO ONE" Of course the public knows of Hobart Bosworth primarily as "The Sea Wolf," a Jack London man of the seas, the rockbound coasts and fierce conquests. Theatregoers of a retentive memory may remember, too, the Hobart Bosworth who was the matinee idol of Broadway several years back; who played Shakespearian roles with wavy locks and doublet and hose. But a different view of Mr. Bosworth will be afforded at the Sigma today when this popular star will be seen in his latest starring vehicle, "A Thousand to One."

Can you imagine Hobart in the role of a waster and a vagabond? Well, that's just the kind of role he takes in this current production. In the first part he is a rotter, spending his nights in the haunts of San Francisco's Chinatown. Then he is the outcast—the wanderer in the mining camps and finally the man regenerated—brought back into his own by the one chance in a thousand.

"A Thousand to One" offers a brilliant example of the star's versatile talent, and provides one of the season's best photoplays. Ethel Grey Terry, popular young English actress, who in an amazingly short time has won her way into the hearts of American theatre-goers, plays opposite the star.

The picture adds additional laurels to the creative work of J. Parker Read, Jr., who produced it. It is appearing at the Sigma for four days, starting today.

"CINDERELLA'S TWIN" which comes to the Sigma the last of the week has been described as "a wonderful picture having the Cinderella motive with a satisfying seasoning of humor, charm and thrilling romance."

Viola Dana has the stellar role as the little queen of the kitchen who accidentally finds herself gazing on



Hobart Bosworth in "A Thousand to One"
A J. Parker Read, Jr. Production
At the Sigma theatre.

The "County Fair" Coming To Lyric For Four Days

Maurice Tourneur's Screen Novelty Is a Feature Extraordinary

Louise Huff Has Strong Role In "What Women Want", Coming Soon

THE power of the screen to bring the familiar aspects of native drama before modern audiences is finely illustrated in Maurice Tourneur's "The County Fair," which has made quite a stir in the motion picture world. "The County Fair" is the feature extraordinary at the Lyric theatre today and for four days.

This production is based upon the famous rural racing drama, which Neil Burgess created upon the speaking stage for many seasons. On the stage, there were merely hints and incidents which set off the simple life on a New England farm. But in the picture this is all presented with a realism that is quite marvelous.

You will think you are really attending a time-honored county fair when you see this remarkable photoplay. You will enjoy the Oriental dances and the free contrivances, the lemonade vendors and pop corn merchants. The racing scene is most realistically done.

This simple and appealing story is ably portrayed by such well known players as little Wesley Barry, Helen Jerome Eddy and David Butler. Edith Chapman is also seen in the cast and William V. Mong has an important role.

"WHAT WOMEN WANT" Miss Louise Huff has a very powerful role in "What Women Want," which comes to the Lyric this week. Usually cast in comedy-dramas, Miss Huff in this production shows that she has remarkable talent as a purely dramatic actress and does admirable work all thru the picture.

"The story concerns one Francine D'Espard who comes to America to claim the love of a man who had promised to marry her. She arrives only to find her lover had broken his pledge and her love thereupon turns to bitter hate—she chooses the path of vengeance—one word from her and her false lover would be crushed to the dust, but the unexpected happens and the lovers are reunited.

Broadway critics have highly recommended "What Women Want" as a picture to be seen and appreciated. It opens on Thursday at the Lyric theatre.

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PRESENTS

HOBART BOSWORTH

"A THOUSAND TO ONE"

BILLY LEYSER, OF THE CLEVELAND NEWS, SAYS:—"In 'A Thousand to One' Bosworth is seen in evening clothes, a radical departure in this smashing melodrama with fistic encounter and realistic train wreck."

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THE MESSENGER OF WISDOM

The original and only Nalla Axmi — Don't be confused with other so-called mind reading acts.

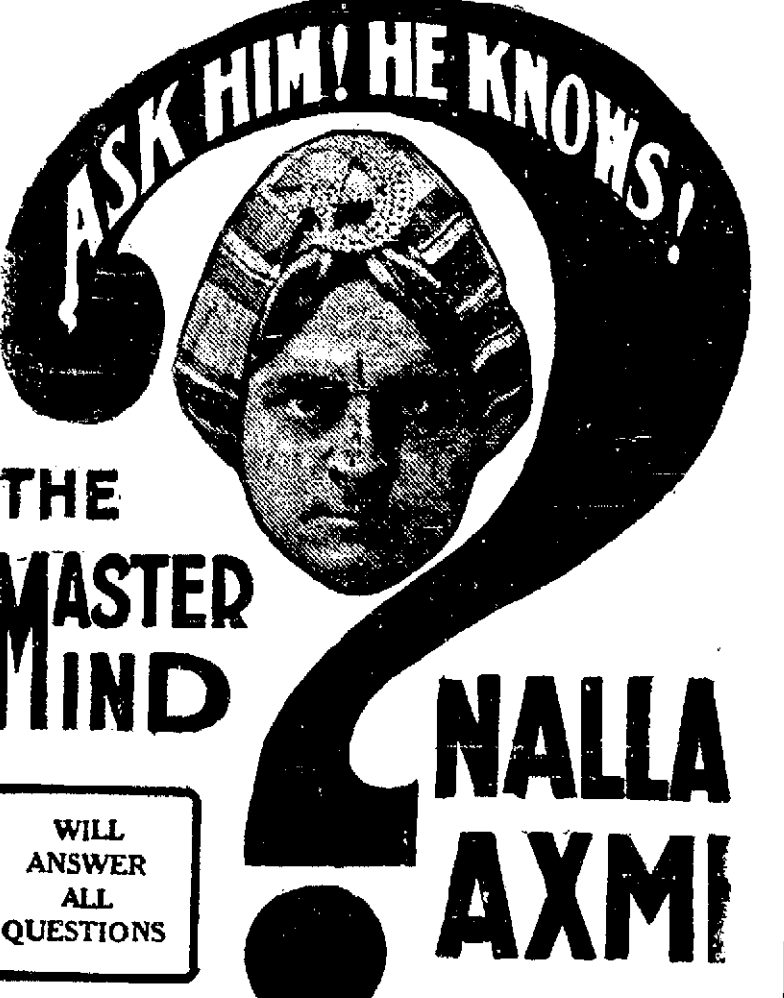
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Well, folks, CARAVAN will show you his experiences and the remedy—You will laugh and think it's a joke, but if the girl in this case thought she would have married him—She would have drowned herself in her own bath tub—So he must have a good system.

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NEWS CONCERT HARPIS Will Play at Each Performance COMEDY OTHER NOVELTIES

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MARSHALL NEILAN

Producer of "DADDY LONG LEGS"—"DON'T EVER MARRY" and "GO AND GET IT" Presents His Latest

"DINTY"

—WITH—
WESLEY (Freckles) BARRY
IN HIS LATEST STARRING VEHICLE

"The Passing Show of 1921" Is Best Ever Presented At The Winter Garden

Every Feature Pleasing—
Girls Pretty and Fun—
Makers Excellent

Nora Bayes Shines—For-
eign Picture Sets Record
In New York

BY FREDERICK F. SCHRAEDER

NEW YORK — The Winter Garden has again eclipsed itself in the splendid production of "The Passing Show of 1921," which is by a good margin the liveliest and most entertaining extravaganza that has been offered in several years, with all the features of the sort of entertainment in the form of color, costume and girls—for in the end the chorus and girls are the show. Beside the Howard Brothers as the principal comedians, there are other fun-makers of equal rank, such as Harry Watson, Marie Dressler and Tot Quailers. The meat and bone of the ravishing spectacle consists of a number of burlesques on popular plays, especially "Spanish Love," "The Bat," and "Francis Start in 'One'." Cleveland Bronner heads a colorful ballet which opened the second half of the "Passing Show," and a popular note is struck in the various dancing features, in which Cortez and Peggy and Sammy White are conspicuous. A specially fine spectacular Oriental finale for the first act is provided by an ingenious combination of travesties on "The Lady of the Lamp" and "Mecca," and through the resourceful Harold Atteridge who writes the majority of the "fantastic play with music," with lyrics and music by Seymour Simons and book by Al Weeks and "Bugs" Baer. The opening scene takes place at a roof garden party which Miss Bayes is giving in order to display a gorgeous new fur coat. One of her friends conceives the idea of visiting a seeress in order to gaze into a crystal globe and find out what previous existences his friends had lived in, which offers an opportunity for a great variety of stage settings and beautiful costumes. Miss Bayes introduced some new song hits.

Nora Bayes is shining resplendently at the Lyric in the best vehicle she has had for some time—"Her Family Tree." It is described as a "fantastic play with music," with lyrics and music by Seymour Simons and book by Al Weeks and "Bugs" Baer. The opening scene takes place at a roof garden party which Miss Bayes is giving in order to display a gorgeous new fur coat. One of her friends conceives the idea of visiting a seeress in order to gaze into a crystal globe and find out what previous existences his friends had lived in, which offers an opportunity for a great variety of stage settings and beautiful costumes. Miss Bayes introduced some new song hits.

JUST A WORD ABOUT THE LYRIC

THE PROOF OF THE PUDDING IS IN THE EATING AND THERE IS BUT ONE GUARANTEE OF APPROVAL AT THE HANDS OF THE PUBLIC

SERVICE

THE time is at hand when the Lyric Theater can no longer delay acknowledgement of its appreciation of what has been more than a generous patronage at the hands of the people of Lima and vicinity—a patronage absolutely unprecedented as measured by box office receipts in the state of Ohio for a new enterprise.

FOR, after all, the Lyric is a new enterprise, new in its appearance both inside and out; new in its atmosphere of cleanliness, convenience and comfort; new in its station, having in six short months under a new ownership, climbed from a doubtful fourth place among amusement enterprises in Lima to the undisputed head of the class.

THE only positive guarantee of approval at the hands of the public in any line of endeavor is SERVICE. That the Lyric is standing the service test is amply proved by the fact that whereas people once said "we might try the Lyric," they now say "Can we get in?" There is much truth in the saying that "the proof of the pudding lies in the eating" and the all but continuous S. R. O. sign at the Lyric indicates that the public likes it.

AND for all this The Lyric is thankful—not boastful. Glad that an honest and conscientious effort to give Lima people the BEST is meeting with approval. Fearful in fact that lest in spite of the most watchful effort and constant surveillance, the standard of the Lyric may fail to be maintained to that high point of excellence to which the amusement-loving people of Lima are justly entitled.

WHY speak for the future? Developments of the past have surely indicated in no indecisive manner the policy of the new ownership of the Lyric theater—a policy of progressiveness which will be continued without remission of effort toward the end of giving to its patrons every single advantage which can in any way contribute to their comfort, convenience and enjoyment.

THE utmost courtesy must always be at their immediate command. The best pictures available, regardless of price, must constitute their daily amusement menu to the point that it shall be not a question of what the picture is but of WHERE IT IS. The music and the minor diversions embellishing the productions themselves must always be kept at par with any other 'Movie' house in the state, regardless of the size of the city in which such is located.

THE LYRIC THEATER has no axe to grind in Lima. It has no criticisms to offer. It has no complaints to make. It is more than pleased to have the privilege of being located in such a progressive and responsive city; it wants no favors save those which it honestly merits on the basis of SERVICE TO ITS PATRONS. It is more than pleased at the generous approval which has been its portion. It has perfect confidence in what the future shall bring. Its only aim is TO PLEASE ITS PATRONS and it promises now that its performance of the past, already sealed by the acid test of public approval, shall be eclipsed by those of the future as such shall constitute the very highest type of entertainment and that the Lyric shall continue to be "a real 'Movie' house in a real town."

THE LIMA AMUSEMENT COMPANY,
Phil Chakeras,
President and General Manager.

On the Rialto they are still talking in hushed tones about the success of the film drama, "Passion," which broke the record of the largest and finest motion picture theater in the United States, the Capital, and incidentally its announced policy, by staying two instead of the allotted one week. Aside from the artistic character of the production, the interesting thing about it is the story of how it got a show in the United States in spite of the moral embargo on everything German.

It was brought over here on a speculation, and the man who had the American rights found that he was up against it when he offered it to some of the leading distributors. The European owners set a price of 1,000,000,000 marks upon it. That sounds formidable, but even in normal times it figured out only \$250,000 in round numbers. Nowadays you can buy a million marks for about \$13,000. It wasn't the price that was in the way but the indifference to anything coming out of Germany. Managers didn't care to look at it. By dint of perseverance, however, the middle man got permission to show it in some studio or other.

When the time came to reel it off the managers were conspicuous by their absence; only the office boys and a critic or two constituted the audience. The office boys shrugged their shoulders and poot-pooled some of the early scenes, but the exhibition had not progressed far when one of the office boys bobbed up in the managers' office and said: "Say! You better come up and take a look at this picture. I think it's corking!"

And so the management decided to lend its presence to the trial showing on the enthusiastic recommendation of Freckles. The upshot was that the management acquired the American rights for something like \$13,000. When it was exhibited at the Capital, not long afterwards it paid for itself in one week and made such a vivid impression on the producers that Pola Negri, the star actress (her real name is Paula Schwarz, the name being translated) was engaged by cable for a series of American pictures in which she is to appear over here as soon as peace is formally declared.

It gave the managers of the picture palace a shock to have a foreign picture make a success. And that one as a man expressed it, made a whole of a success. For years the producers have been saying patronizingly that foreign pictures were not liked here and wouldn't do. Of course, photography has not been up to the standard since the war, nor has it been possible to yet. "But," added the speaker, "they have some other things which even the most indifferent of spectators is certain to appreciate. The actors are absolute-

ly unaware of the camera. They never look at it. Nobody would know that it existed. The actors go about their work as if they were in a play. Remember how our own dear little cutes think always of the camera and show it so plainly in expression and gesture. Then there are no close-ups. In our pictures there are close-ups of the heroine, looking east, south, west and north, up and down and sideways until the cows come home. Of course they are a little bit out of the picture, but there were none of them to speak of at the Capital, which is going to make its impression on the audience. If they know their business as well as they say they do, it will make an impression on the producers also."

Meantime the old favorite, "Erminie," is again enjoying a season of prosperity at the Park Theater with Francis Wilson and DeWolf Hopper in the leading comedy roles. And there is this relation between the screen drama and probably, next best known comic opera ever seen in America, "Erminie," like "Passion," all but went begging for a production. Rudolf Aronson in his memoirs left the history of its acquisition and production at the Casino Theater, of which he was manager on May 10, 1888, the date of its American premiere, and relates: "This marvelous operetta was staged by Harry Paulson, the author of the libretto and it enjoyed 1,250 performances at the Casino alone. It is almost unprecedented. The piece was early in 1886, when Mr. Edward Cerson cabled me from London, saying, 'Can procure for you for \$500 new operetta by Paulson and Jakobowski entitled 'Erminie' and now playing at the Comedy Theater in London to fair business.' I at once replied, 'Send libretto and if satisfactory will wire five hundred.' Before this could be done, however, Frank Sanger purchased the American rights to the opera in conjunction with Willie Edouin and Miss Melnotte and finally arranged with me for its production at the Casino. In the course of its phenomenal run they received \$120,000 in royalties on it. This is another forcible illustration that occasionally a fair success in Europe may make a great success in America."

Just what a mood little old New York is in with regard to its theatrical pabulum may be inferred from the fact that it is not only filling the house at "Erminie," but that it is waxing enthusiastic over "The Beggar's Opera" of the vintage of 1738, which John Gay wrote as a satire on contemporary society and which as such scored a phenomenal success. It is presented here by the same company that sang and acted it



TOM MOORE in "Hold Your Horses"
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In London, where it was put down on a stop-gap last June but turned out a winner. Arnold Bennett was one of the men who had faith in its revival and rewrote some of the dialogue while Frederick Austin gave it a new musical setting in spirit with the period of its action. In the original the song texts were set to popular tunes and even the overture was an elaboration of a familiar street ballad.

The experiment of reviving "The Beggar's Opera" in 1921 after nearly two hundred years since its original performance has turned out better than might have been expected. The piece acts better than it reads, and after the first act when the audience had entered into the spirit of the times and craftsmanship, it got well under way in the favor of the spectators. For fear many of you may not have access to a copy of the old book, here's the story in a nutshell:

Peacham has a gang of burglars which has for its captain a most gallant and daring robber, Macheath. Peacham also had a little daughter named Polly who is legally married to Macheath. The thing is too regular to suit Peacham, and by way of

making his daughter a widow and earning an honest forty pound reward, he prepares to deliver him to the police. Polly warns him, and he lights out, but true to form, gravitates straight in the direction of a select lady circle of his own class. They betray him, and Macheath is locked up in Newgate and comes under the jurisdiction of Peacham's fellow-scamp, Lockit, the jailer. Lockit's daughter, Lucy, also claims Macheath as a husband, and she aids him to escape, but again fate and

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the eternal feminine intervene; he is tried and sentenced to end on the gallows. When Macheath is visited by Polly, Lucy and four other women with babies in their arms to take leave of him, he is more than willing to die, but as the Player and the Beggar of the first and last scene symbolically decide, the play must have a happy ending, and so the gallant and daring hero gladly survives with Polly his one true love.

Interest in Shakespeare has been kept alive by a devoted few whose ranks must be recruited as the years pass on, and the latest of these is Fritz Leiber, for many years Robert Mantell's leading man, and sponsored by Mr. Mantell at odd periods in special performances as his successor. Mr. Leiber formally embarked upon a stellar career at the Lexington Theater and has been playing its houses whose dimensions must have been exceedingly gratifying, supported by a company of intelligent actors and with good costumes and scenery to give the right color to his representations, he has fairly won recognition by his studious interpretation of Hamlet, Macbeth, Mark Antony, Romeo and Richard III. He has a good second in Louis Leon Hall and an admirable leading lady in Miss Irby Marshall.

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News of the Movies

Mary Miles Minter sent us this charming picture of herself and it arrived just too late for a Christmas present, but I pass it on hoping some fans will enjoy it even if it is after Christmas. Miss Minter, who has been called the prettiest ingenue on the screen, is wearing a gray velvet dress trimmed with fur around the neck and sleeves. The skirt is draped so that an oval piece of fur fits into each fold. Cunning little French sandals in gray complete the outfit.

CARMEL MYERS DENIES IN VAIN

It is useless for Carmel Myers to keep denying that she is married. The public simply won't believe it, and only last week she received three letters which want her to define her status definitely. One asks if it is true that she and Kenneth Harlan are married and another expresses hope that she "and the handsome Wallace Reid will be happy together," while others make inquiries if she finds being married to William S. Hart, or Niles Welch or Lloyd Hughes is all that it is cracked up to be.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Viola Dana and Shirley Mason were born with the patronymic of "Flanagan." They didn't care for it particularly, and you really couldn't blame them for that, altho the third sister, Edna, has stayed with it. But she is an English screen star, and perhaps the British fans aren't so particular about names.

THEY MADE CHRISTMAS DOLLS

Elaine Hammerstein, Zena Keefe, Martha Manfredi and Owen Moore each fashioned Christmas dolls that were auctioned off. The proceeds went for a poor kiddies' Christmas fund. Mr. Moore had his doll fashioned by a well-known New York modiste, and the little fellow is dressed up in a black and white suit, silk sport shirt and bright necktie to match.

A most appalling and useless waste of film is revealed in "Whispering Devils." Conway Tearle uses up six reels trying not to fall in love with the girl he loves. It just can't be did!

Wesley Barry wishes everybody a Merry Christmas, and especially every freckled faced boy. He got all dressed up in a Santa Claus make-up and some holly and had his picture taken to send out to his friends. It makes a pretty jolly looking Santa even if he is freckle faced and his make-up on crooked.

Wesley's most recent picture, "Dinty," which has been called lively and amusing by critics. The youngster is one of the most regular of the screen children and

is his personality and real boy and human traits which make him so amusing and entertaining to young and old alike.

FIRST BUNNY COMEDY COMPLETED

George Bunny is completed his initial two-reel comedy at the National studios for Goldwyn release. It bears the title of "At It Again." Mr. Bunny is a son of the late comedian John Bunny, who did much to make film history in the early Vitagraph days. And every body agrees that George is a veritable chip off the old block. The studio folk are getting ready for the avalanche of "fan" letters sure to follow his first appearance by enlarging a large mail box bearing his name.

SANTUCHI IMPROVING

Tom Santuchi, who was stricken with appendicitis a short time ago, is recovering rapidly from the ordeal of the operation which he was forced to undergo. As soon as Tom has recovered sufficiently he will resume his work on his two-reel westerns.

NOT A BAD JOB

Viola Dana, so we are told, is busy wielding a wicked spoon over a huge pot of spaghetti at the Metropolitan studio. The reason for this agreeable occupation is that Miss Dana is appearing as an Italian maid in her new film and much of her time is spent in and about the kitchen.

LISSEN, GIRLS!

Buster Keaton says more feminine talent is needed in motion pictures. And, furthermore, he urges girls with ability to enter the celluloid world.

"The motion picture business is becoming one of the country's biggest industries," said Buster, "and it is becoming more stable and reliable every day. It no longer is a big chance — an adventure on the part of some one with a few thousand dollars and a lot of nerve."

"And there is plenty of room for girls with real talent for film acting," says Mr. Keaton, "after thinking the matter over carefully and being assured by some reliable authority that she will not be a dismal failure, should obtain the consent of her parents to enter motion pictures. Her parents will not attempt to hold her back in the majority of cases."

"It would serve Buster right if a flock of terrible amateurs would rush upon him for jobs following this encouraging speech."

BLIND WIVES

YES, THEY DO LOOK ALIKE



George and Anita Stewart.

(BY ESTHER WAGNER)
"Don't they look alike?"
"Are they really brother and sister?"
"They don't look a bit alike, do they?"
"There's a slight family resemblance, isn't there?"

HESE and many other such remarks will greet this new picture of Anita Stewart and her young brother. What's your opinion? Mine is that it is a good picture whether they look alike or not. Miss Stewart, who is known in private life as Mrs. Rudolph Cameron, is now making a new picture called "The Tornado."

George Stewart has not been in pictures long, but he is already making rapid strides toward film fame. His latest screen performance was in "Old Dad," in which he played opposite Mildred Harris. The picture was shown at the Regent early last week.

"MELANCHOLIA" TO FOLLOW "VIRGINIAN"

Douglas Fairbanks' production schedule is dated so far ahead that it looks as if he and Mrs. Fairbanks (Mary Pickford, of course) would have to postpone their working trip to Europe until the spring. After the elaborate production of "The

Virginian," planned by Mr. Fairbanks, he will do another original by Rob Wagner titled "The Melancholia," which, if we remember rightly, is the title of what he plans to be a sequel to "The Nut," the themes of both of which promise to be genuine semi-serious surprises.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

For reasons of euphony, Betty Blythe Slaughter was requested to drop her last name and use only her first and middle ones.

HEARD IN PASSING

Clara Young, the present Mrs. James Young, formerly Clara Whipple, is shortly to return to screenland as a star, throwing her hat into the ring in competition with many luminaries, including Clara Kimball Young, her husband's former wife.

Speaking of Mr. Young, 'tis said he will direct George Arliss again, the play to be "Disraeli," to be filmed in the spring. Mr. Young recently returned from the east, where his megaphone worked on "The Devil" with Mr. Arliss and Sylvia Breamer in the featured leads.

Dorothy Phillips, Ralph Lewis, James Kirkwood, Jean Calhoun, Margaret Mann and Emily Chichester appear in a new First National picture, called "Man-Woman-Marriage."

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Bonds	41,650.00	Undivided profit fund	3,541.83
Deposits in other buildings and loan associations	30,000.00	Due borrowers or unfinished loans	37,881.46
War Savings Certificates	1,656.00	Deposits from other financial institutions	4,300.00
TOTAL	\$3,760,491.32	Liberty Bond credits	212.40
Interest due and uncollected	1,394.79	Mortgage assumed on office building	25,000.00
DISBURSEMENTS		Reserved for interest	1,600.00
Loans on mortgage security	\$1,346,800.00	Taxes and insurance	1,600.00
Loans on stock, certificates or pass-book security	102,936.73	TOTAL	\$3,760,491.32
Due on unfinished loans	184,536.26	Interest due and uncollected	1,394.79
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Withdrawal of deposits	1,200,019.99	Due on running stock	14,611.89
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Interest on deposits	115,612.46	Loans on stock certificates or pass-book security repaid	15,306.00
Taxes	6.48	Due on unfinished loans	105,921.04
Salaries of officers and directors	7,200.00	Deposits from other financial institutions	199,764.13
Office help, rent and legal services	9,886.97	Interest	2,500.00
All other expenses	4,815.34	Deposits in other buildings and loan associations withdrawn	197,827.94
Deposits by other buildings and loan associations withdrawn	560.00	Deposits in other financial institutions withdrawn	46,000.00
Reserve fund credit	\$700.00	Sale of bonds	50,000.00
Reserved for interest, taxes and insurance	1,550.00	Liberty Bond credits	750.00
Purchase of Furniture and fixtures	10,210.16	Repts from office quarters	315.00
Payment on office building	95,249.51	Inspection and recorder fees	36.00
Liberty Bond credits	750.00	Expense charges	48.50
Accrued interest on U. S. bonds and certificates	1.20	Office building income	9.93
Office building disbursements	3,346.20	Expense refunded	7,394.71
TOTAL	\$3,279,668.21	Furniture and fixtures	49.44
Cash on hand in designated depositories	\$ 113,196.81	TOTAL	\$3,250,564.00
TOTAL	\$3,392,865.02	Cash on hand at close of last fiscal year	142,330.38
EARNINGS		TOTAL	\$3,392,865.02
Interest	\$ 192,827.64	DISTRIBUTION	
Rents from office quarters	36.00	Dividends on running stock	45,676.10
Inspection and recorder fees	46.50	Dividends on mortgage loan credits	26.47
Expense charges	9.92	Dividends on paid-up stock	522.00
Office building receipts	7,394.71	Reserve fund credit	3,000.00
Expense refunded	49.44	Undivided profit fund	2,939.14
TOTAL	\$ 200,364.21	Interest on deposits	120,262.50
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L. A. FELTZ, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Secretary of The Citizens Loan and Building Company, of Lima, Ohio, and that the foregoing statement and report is a full and detailed report of the affairs and business of said company for the fiscal year ending on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1920 and that it is true and correctly shows its financial condition at the end of said fiscal year.		Office help, rent and legal services	9,886.97
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, A. D. 1921.		All other expenses	4,815.34
W. P. ANDERSON, Notary Public, Allen County, Ohio.		Taxes	6.48
We, the undersigned: S. Stephens, D. R. Cantieni and Val Heil, auditors of the said The Citizens Loan and Building Company, of Lima, Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of the said company on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1920, and a true statement of the affairs and business for the fiscal year ending on that day.		Office Building	73.54
S. STEPHENS		Furniture and fixtures	1,608.21
D. R. CANTIENI		Reserved for interest, taxes, etc.	1,600.00
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TOTAL		TOTAL	200,364.21

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ACTIVITIES IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Usual After-Holiday Lull Not
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Light of Past Seasons

Past Week Witnessed Round of
Events—Elks Announce Dinner
Dance for Wednesday

It is the unexpected that always happens. Just as society had prepared for a lull in the social realm, they were astonished by the unusual round of social activities during the week just following the holiday season. During that time there were many social affairs for out of town guests and Limaites who are migrating to the south, to spend the dreary month of February. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Davis have been honored guests at a number of affairs. They will leave on January 14th for California. Mrs. Charles Hardoff entertained with a theatre party on Thursday afternoon. Friday the Evening Bridge club entertained with a dinner at the Elks' Home, complimenting Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Clarence Miller entertained with a luncheon on Saturday and Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Erice Appias and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Copeland are entertaining with a dinner at the Elks' Home honoring Mr. and Mrs. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Knisely entertained with a dinner at the Lima Club Sunday evening. Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Blatterberg were the honored guests at a dinner party given at the Lima Club Wednesday evening. Mrs. Joseph Cohen and Mrs. Harry M. Cohen entertained Wednesday at the Hotel Norval for the pleasure of Mrs. L. Lazarus, Canton; Mrs. Horwick, Chicago; Mrs. Samuel Simmons, Cincinnati and Mrs. A. Simmons, Dayton. Other interesting luncheon-bridges and dinners filled the week's social calendar.

The Elks' Home has announced a dinner-dance at the club for Wednesday evening. The house committee is making preparations to make this an unusually brilliant affair. Arthur Shattuck, the widely known pianist, will appear Monday evening at Memorial Hall, under the auspices of the Women's Music club. Mr. Shattuck has but recently returned from an extended tour thru Europe where he studied and appeared in recitals in many of the largest European cities.

Mr. Shattuck is not only typically American, but middle-west American, born in Wisconsin, and descended from an old Massachusetts family. He has been appearing in

DAUGHTER OF AMERICAN COPPER KING IS MARRIED TO A BRITISH NOBLEMAN



Viscount and Viscountess Stuart leaving St. Margaret's after wedding. Eleanor May Guinness, daughter of the American copper king, is the viscountess. The couple in their wedding photo shows the couple in their wedding photo.

the largest cities in the United States and has been met with much enthusiasm. His program on Monday evening promises to be an entertaining one.

Members of Class Four of the First Christian Church met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Ellen Smith, 217 S. McDonel-st. Singing and contests furnished diversion during the afternoon. At 5 o'clock the hostess assisted by her mother, Mrs. Charles Martin, served dainty refreshments.

Guests other than club members enjoying the afternoon were: Mrs. B. G. Eastey, Mrs. F. G. Preist and Mrs. W. G. Goebel, Carey, Ohio.

Miss Belva Brill who for the past seven months has been residing in Toledo, has returned to Lima, to make her future home.

Robert Sharp has returned to Columbus, after a visit here with his sister, Mrs. L. L. Morton and Miss Leva Sharp, W. Springfield.

Social and Club Arrangements

WEEKLY SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY
Round Table Club, Mrs. H. C. Hiner, afternoon.
Arbutus, Mrs. F. T. Cuthbert.
Arthur Shattuck, artist appears at Memorial Hall, afternoon.
Sorosis Club, Mrs. W. E. Shook, afternoon.
TUESDAY
Monday Knitting Club, Mrs. Charles Finley, afternoon.
Cliftonian, Mrs. H.A. Crider.
Swastika, Mrs. E. R. Anspaugh.

TUESDAY
Alteretta Club, Mrs. C. S. Jones, afternoon.
Etude Club, Miss Neil Kriete, morning.
Class 15, Bethany Church, Mrs. George Brothers.
Sunshine Society, Mrs. J. S. Flowers.
Domestic Science, Mrs. Paul DeWeese, 422 W. High-st.
Stitchery, Mrs. Morgan Davis, N. Collet-st.
Frances Willard Union, Mrs. John Davis, W. Market-st.

WEDNESDAY
Women's Missionary Society, Bethany church, Mrs. Margonia.

One of the most attractive dinner parties of the week was the affair given Saturday evening at 6:30 at the Elks' Club, by Mack Colt for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie.

The tables were arranged in the main dining room, in the form of a square, and were centered with palms and ferns. Vases and baskets of pink roses added to the table decorations, while the place cards, nut baskets and other necessities were in keeping. Places were marked for Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deisel, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wemmer, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tolan, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Parmenter, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baxter, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Seifridge, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. L. Larson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey McClure, Mrs. O. E. Chenoweth and Mr. Colt, the hostess.

Following the dinner the guests were entertained with musical selections by Mrs. Andrew Dimond, Miss Lenora Feltz and Mrs. Gale Dunifon, cellist, pianist and vocalist respectively, and also by artists now appearing at the Sigma theater. The remainder of the evening was spent playing euchre.

Mrs. J. W. Roby was elected president of the College Womens Club held with Mrs. A. Ashbaugh, 420 Elmwood Place.

WEEKLY SOCIAL CALENDAR

Missionary Society Grace church parsonage.
Dinner Dance at Elks' Home.
South Division Zion Lutheran Ladies Aid, Mrs. A. H. May.
Young Ladies Aid, Market Street Presbyterian Church, Mrs. C. C. Mosher.
Ladies Aid, Market Street Presbyterian Church, Mrs. J. E. Grosjean.

THURSDAY
Lima Presbyterian Ladies Aid, sew on surgical dressings.
Social Circle Club, Mrs. Grant Biner, afternoon.
Western Club, Mrs. J. H. Hamilton.
Child Conservation League, Mrs. W. R. Holdridge.
East Division Ladies Aid Zion church, Mrs. X. E. Miller, No. 3, Phoenix Bldg.

FRIDAY
Widua Shrine Jerusalem banquet, evening.
Turkmoor Club, Mrs. George Burgoon, evening.

SATURDAY
Mothers' Jewels of Trinity Church, Marcella Mollen.

at their annual business meeting held Saturday afternoon in the lounge room, Hotel Norral. Other officers are: Mrs. H. S. Moulton, vice president; Miss Bonita Jameson, secretary; Miss Helen Longworth, corresponding secretary; Miss Stella Pennell, treasurer. Mrs. L. A. Bowler and Miss Margaret Jacobs were elected to the board of directors.

Rev. Kirk B. O'Ferrall was the speaker at the social session following the business meeting, and gave an interesting talk on Abraham Lincoln. Miss Wilhelmina Spillacy, well known young Lima vocalist rendered three solos, accompanied on the piano by Miss Neil Kriete. At 5:30 o'clock dinner was served to about 50 members in attendance.

Mrs. J. H. Hamilton, 917 W. Elm-st., will entertain the members of the Wisteria club at her home Thursday afternoon.

An interesting meeting of the L. T. L. club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Livermore, Aberdeen-apt. Sewing and needlework were the diversions and later refreshments were served.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. A. Pierson, Woodard-ave.

The O. E. U. E. held a meeting Friday evening at the home of Mrs. A. Brown, W. North-st. Music was enjoyed and later refreshments were served.

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KNITTED SUIT FOR SOUTHERN SEASON



BY EDOISE
This smart suit has been made to compete with the knitted sweater coat and the pretty jersey suits which are so very popular. It is a combination of the two and it is the newest mode designed by some of the foremost knitting mills of the country. It is made in a plain knitted stitch like the usual sweater coat and it is modeled on the simple tailored lines of the ever popular jersey suit.

This suit pictured is admirably adapted for southern wear and since the southern season is just starting such suits will be much in demand. French blue and gray wool is used to make this suit. The gray is trimmed with bands of the blue. The coat is made in a tuxedo style with patch pockets. A smart little silk hat in white and blue completes the costume, which is impressive the conservative.

William Snyder, W. Elm-st., is spending the week-end with friends and relatives in Canton.

Mrs. Loretta Durbin, 765 Green-lawn-ave., is leaving Sunday for Columbus to attend the inauguration. She will be the guest of Mrs. Florence Richards, State superintendent of the W. C. T. U.

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BALMY AIR IS SPRING REMINDER

Matron and Maid Have Opportunity for Shopping and Preparing Their Wardrobe

As Lent Approaches, Society Prepares for Rest from Round of Activities in Social Realm

THE balmy air of the days of the past week caused the world of society to speculate as to whether it is early in January or about the time of March, when violet waken from their leafy beds and begin their spring preparation for exhibition of all their loveliness. Society cannot realize there is still ahead the dreary month of February, with its snow and slush, its sleet and cold. And then still old January, in its latter part, is to be reckoned with. March too, is usually a time when society is not active, because of the changeable weather.

But the mild weather of the week has been a relief to society in general in shopping and in planning the new spring wardrobe. For Lent is only a few days away and then the busy house-wife and the society bud alike will find time to improve self and replenish their wardrobes.

The new things which are being shown in millinery and in finery of every kind have delighted the eye of society maid and matron and have given them many happy hours in which to gossip and over the teacups to tell of the prevailing spring fashions.

And with the advent more and more as days go by of the early spring showing, the opportunity for closer investigation will be apparent. The season will reach a delightful climax in the social events which mark the pre-Lenten season the middle of February, only to burst in a glorious opening after the Easter time.

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Voiles and Marquisettes.

40 in. White Imported Voile, yd. 98c

44 in. White Imported Voile, yd. 75c

42 in. Imported Marquisette, yd. \$1.31

38 in. Imported Marquisette, yd. 70c

\$2.50 and \$2.25 Imported Embroidered Swiss and Voiles—White and colors. For this clearance—\$1.65 yd.

75c Japanese Crepes, 50c yd.

20 to 25% Discount on Nainsook, Long Cloth and Cambric, 36 in. wide, 31c, 39c yd.

Specials in Children's Department

A few Gingham Dresses for girls in sizes 8 to 14 years—values from \$1.75 to \$10.00—HALF PRICE.

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50 inch Chenille in Blue, Rose, Green and Brown, \$6.50 value for.....	\$4.87 1/2
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26 inch White Grenadine, 75c value for.....	49c
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Values to \$8.50

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Camisoles in dark colors—HALF PRICE.

Fourth Floor

Basement Clearance Prices

Light Colored 27 in. Outings.....	19c
Best Quality 27 in. Outings.....	29c
White Outing 26 in. wide.....	19c
For Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday only, 4 lbs. 100% Pure Cotton Batting, size 72x90, for \$1.00.	
10 yards, 36 in. Bleached Muslin, soft needle finish, for \$1.95.	
A few 81x90 soft finish Seamless Sheets, with heavy taped edges, \$1.75.	
Entire assortment Percale or Gingham House Dresses at 25% Discount.	
Entire assortment Ladies' and Men's Beacon Bath Robes and Ladies' Corduroy Robes—20% Discount.	
Ladies' Serpentine Crepe or Embroidered Japanese Kimonos at 10% Discount.	
Your choice of any Blanket in our stock, all wool, part wool or Cotton Bed Blankets, Indian Couch Covers, Automobile Rugs at 20% Discount.	
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7.5x9 Velvet Rugs, \$30.00 value at.....	\$30.00
9x9 Wilton Rugs, \$105.00 value at.....	\$63.00
9x9 Imperial Sarouk Wilton Rugs, \$150.00 value at.....	\$90.00
8.3x10.6 Body Brussels Rugs, \$75.00 value at.....	\$45.00
8.3x10.6 Wilton Rugs, \$110.00 value at.....	\$66.00

Fifth floor

Mrs. Clarence Miller, St. James-
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Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Creps, W. North-
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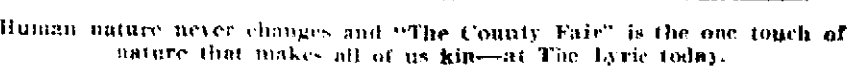
You had better make arrangements to attend the afternoon performance at the Sigma theatre, this afternoon, as every one will want to see that marvel of the age, Nalli Xami, the Master Mind. He puts the scientists in a maze, the skeptics in a daze. His extraordinary telepathic powers have been many times subjected to the severest tests by the most eminent members of the medical and scientific profession. You can write your questions at home, bring them to the theatre, and, without speaking one word, Nalli Xami will read your question and then seeing a hand, a face, a color, a figure, a divines and editors can advance no intelligible solution. The scientific world ac-

cepts crystal gazing as a positive fact. He tells you of your business, your health, your secret thoughts and wishes. He tells you of lost articles, missing friends or relatives of business, marriage or divorce. The great Nalli Xami will give a special performance Friday afternoon, at which only ladies will be admitted. The feature picture for today will be one that every red-blooded man and woman will enjoy. J. Parker Read, Jr., offers the massive and interesting feature photoplay, "A Thousand to One", in which your favorite film star, Lewitzky, has one of the most interesting characters of his screen career, supported by an all star cast. The picture will keep you intensely interested from start to finish. Better come early.

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In the annals of farar and racing plays no equine star of the American stage was ever quite so well beloved as Cold Molasses who carried Ned Burgess and his play "The Countess Fair" through years of re-staging. Now Maurice Tourneur has transferred this fine story to the screen and made it the outstanding hit of the year upon the motion picture poster and on general principles we are willing to wager that there's not a man, woman or child in Lima but that wants to see this picture. And why not? For after all it is the one picture of the screen that is common to all of us. Can't you about it. Don't have to. You know perfectly well what you are going to see when you come. You realize that when you're going to have the time of your life living over those wonderful experiences of youth and that you are going to laugh until your sides are sore. Oh! we've all been there. We know red lemonade when we see it. The greased pig is no new institution to any of us. We all strolled around among prize cows and chickens, surreptitiously holding our best girl by the hand. So please don't miss this picture. It's a wonder. It has literally taken all America by storm. You'll enjoy every moment of it. You'll be tickled to death that you came. It's great fun all through. Then there is a beautiful little story in connection with it. Good drama with humor and pathos mixed. Many laughs; many heart throbs; fine moments to finish and by far and foremost a heart to heart appeal of entertainment to be found in Lima this week. Please come early today and avoid standstills.

WOMEN BETTER COOKS NOW

Domestic Science Great Aid to Girls in School Preparation For Home Work

Miss Wood, Domestic Science Instructor in High School, Points Out Reason Why

(BY ROSEMARY CHRISTEN)
Are women of today better cooks than were their mothers and grandmothers?

This question has undoubtedly risen in the minds of women at some time. Some will say that the women of today are the better cooks; that their meals are more appetizing, more scientifically prepared, etc. Others say not.

It must be admitted, however, that the women of today know more about food than did their mothers or grandmothers. Pamphlets are published, hints are given thru magazines and newspapers pertaining to foods, how to buy them, how to prepare them, which are good for us, which are harmful to us. Also, there are more facilities for the housewife today which tend to lighten her work than there were in the days of their mothers or grandmothers.

Withal, if the women of today are not better cooks than were their ancestors, the fault lies with the women alone. It is up to her whether or not she takes advantage of the scientific and less difficult methods of cooking.

Today, domestic science is a compulsory subject in the majority of schools. Does it help to make better home-makers? Yes, indeed it does. Why? Because the girls of today are carefully trained in marketing; that is, just what kinds of foods to buy, how to choose them, how to substitute an inexpensive food for an expensive one and yet obtain the same results. They are taught how to prepare meals, the proper kinds of food for people in health and people in illness. Also, in those days in the complex of life girls are taught how to economize in the amount of time spent in the preparation of foods.

"Women of today are better cooks than were their mothers or grandmothers," Miss Wood, domestic science teacher at the Central High School said, "or at least they should be, as they have the opportunities afforded them to know more about foods, how to buy them and how to prepare them." Miss Wood also says that the classes in domestic science are of a paramount importance to the girls. They are given a thorough understanding of cooking, marketing, preparation of foods and all of the essentials which help to make a good cook and likewise a splendid home-maker.

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DID WOMAN SLAY PAT O'BRIEN, HERO

Relatives Do Not Believe he Killed Self

MOMENCE, Ill.—(Special.)—Relatives and friend of Lieut. Pat O'Brien, hero-aviator, are not satisfied with the verdict of suicide rendered by the coroner's jury in Los Angeles where he was supposed to have shot himself.

Mrs. Clara Clegg, his sister, and his brother have begun an investigation in which they will be assisted by all his friends. They make these charges:

That Lieutenant O'Brien was threatened with death by a woman on four separate occasions.

That Virgil Moore, an aviator friend of O'Brien, once wrested a pistol from this woman when she was trying to kill O'Brien.

That O'Brien did not write the "death note" found near his body, but that it was written by his slayer.

That there were no powder marks around the wound, as there must have been if O'Brien himself fired the shot at close range from a heavy army pistol.

That no inquest was held, a physician at the hotel saying it was not necessary.

That his personal possessions had all disappeared.

TO REOPEN THE INQUIRY

Efforts will be made to reopen the inquiry and the name of the supposed woman will be given the authorities at that time.

Dispatches from Los Angeles at the time of the shooting of O'Brien were quite hazy as to details of the tragedy. Little information, apparently, was given out by the police.

The shock of O'Brien's death and the new theory advanced have resulted in his mother suffering a breakdown. She cannot believe her son, one of the heroes of the World War, killed himself.

The first report, in fact, stated merely that the famous aviator had been "found dead in a room in a downtown hotel." Shortly after-



Lieut. Pat O'Brien.

ward a physician was quoted by the police as declaring O'Brien a victim of "wrecked nervous equilibrium," and there was another announcement that "there will be no inquest, as the coroner is convinced O'Brien killed himself."

The assembling of facts proceeded with difficulty. In the last letter, said to have been written by O'Brien, he spoke of Mrs. Sarah Otis, friend of his wife, as "that awful woman," and blamed her for the wreck of his domestic happiness.

It was learned that after O'Brien and his wife had moved to Holly-

Had Been Threatened Four Times, Sister Says

WIFE TELLS OF SCENES

Mrs. O'Brien's version was that there had been several scenes with O'Brien which caused her to leave their Hollywood home and take a room in the hotel in which O'Brien's body was found later. Mrs. Otis joined her there.

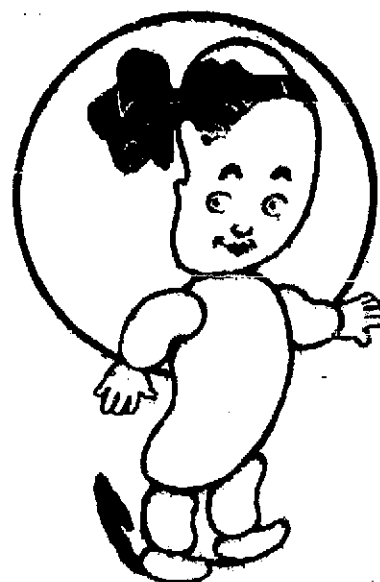
According to Mrs. O'Brien her husband called her up on the telephone and demanded to see her. She, however, declared she had "a premonition of death" and refused to see him. It was shortly after this that O'Brien was found dead. "But Mrs. Otis is not an awful

woman," declared Mrs. O'Brien. "She was our friend and I did not leave my husband at her advice. She came to the hotel to keep me company at my request."

Not the least of the mysteries about the aviator's death was the disappearance of \$150,000 in stocks and Liberty bonds said to have been in O'Brien's possession. Mrs. Otis, in discussing the case, said that O'Brien had recently pawned his wife's jewels.

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MASONIC BUILDING—WEST HIGH STREET

A Toast Proposed To Quartette Of Winsome High Lights Of Song Who Are So Ably Carrying Lima's Fame Far Afield

Success Attends Artists From this City In the Realm of Music—Miss Basden, Mme Edna de Lima, Miss Lillian Beall and Miss Marguerite Zender Win Honors

Music Critic Pays High Compliment to Local Contributors to Highest Attainment in Art, Winning Favor Wherever They Have Appeared

(By H. E. H.)

New Year thoughts will obtrude at a time like this. The fact that a charming daughter of Lima who has reached, if not the pinnacles of Metropolitan Opera House favor, at least a most enviable position in her profession, sang to a delighted audience at one of Lima's handiwork moving picture theatres on New Year's Eve, suggests others sharing the pinnacle of fame at the beginning of this new year. Miss Basden has made rapid strides in her profession of concert singer since her entree into larger fields.

The position in the operatic world held by that other fair daughter of Lima, Mme. Edna de Lima, (Mrs. J. W. Van Dyke) is firmly established, and to the accomplishments of the virtuosic, in her case must be added the environments of the art, for it is known by those in her confidence that the new (an Italian) studio which she has planned and will soon build on the roof of one of the old mansions in upper New York will be the handsomest probably the costliest in the world. The singing voice in the vanguard field was well represented by another Lima girl, who was Miss Lillian Beall, and the quartet is complete with the addition of that winsome little ray of sunshine, Marguerite Zender, who is just now the brightest particular star of the musical comedy field.

A New Year's toast, then, to "the four winsome high lights of song who carry so ably Lima's fame so far afield." A note in an Eastern paper speaking of the delight experienced by this last mentioned artist over her new piano, a baby grand, suggests the fact that that young lady, one of the youngest of the active members of the Women's Music Club of Lima, is just now within a theatrical stone's throw of Lima, (in Wheeling, W. Va.) where the second of the George Cohan companies playing "Mary" finished a three nights' engagement last night, with the little Lima lady as the ubiquitous and much loved Mary.

Word from New York indicates that this particular Cohan product is a record-breaker; that while it is humorously Cohanesque "Mary" is altogether the sweetest, loveliest, most delightful little character that

ever grew from "neath the prolific Cohan pen; and moreover, that the part fits its dainty star like the proverbial glove.

Miss Zender bade adieu to her erstwhile associates Mr. Tinney and the others in "Tinkle Me" just before Christmas; and the next day after was en route to the company's (Mary's) first stand, (Binghamton), where she received an ovation. Next Wednesday the company will be in Springfield, O., and there Mrs. Zender will join Miss Marguerite and continue with the company on its way to the coast where a long run is projected. Mr. Zender will bid adieu to them both at Lexington, Ky., on Saturday, returning to Lima.

Most Limaites are familiar with Miss Zender's rapid rise in the profession thru a series of triumphs in "The Better Ole," then "Angel Face" in which she disported with-out a name, then as co-star with Frank Tinney in the successful "Tinkle Me"—in all of which her record is clean—not a missed performance; and now her selection by the redoubtable Cohan from among hundreds of New York's choicest and fluffiest and dreamiest darlings of footlight favor for his most brilliant creation.

The piano referred to in the Eastern paper was the baby grand of an Ohio make that M. Zender sent her two months ago for her handsome studio at 355 West 93rd-st. New York. Miss Zender has been an active member of the Women's Music Club of Lima for eight years—and needless to say the other sixty-three members of that recherche organization are appropriately proud of the fact.

Brief Notes of World of Music

The initial offering of the new year in the Women's Music Club, course presents Arthur Shattuck, an altogether picturesque, but wonderfully talented pianist, tomorrow evening in Memorial hall. Members reserved their seats at Harman's yesterday, and the general public will be accommodated tomorrow. Aside from accompanists of solo players, the season thus far has been bare of pianists and Mr. Shattuck will therefore be doubly welcome. Shattuck is the artist who gave up many thousands dollars worth of engagements during the war to play for the stricken and others of our soldiers held in detention camps abroad. He is a multi-millionaire, and maintains on the continent of Europe a home for worthy and talented pianists. He possesses to a remarkable degree those temperamental qualities coupled with a facile technique that arouse the enthusiasm of his audiences for numerous recalls.

Etude will meet Tuesday morning with Miss Nell Kriete of W. Market-st. and with Mrs. Harold B. Adams as leader. Both hostess and leader differ from the announcements of the program book. "The Variation Form and the Minuet" will occupy the study hour and the illustrations will include the following: Symphonies, Schumann.... Miss Feltz Spring the Charming, Mozart.... Mesdames Ridenour and Evans "As When the Dove," Haendel.... Minuet in B-Minor, Schubert.... Mrs. J. R. Carnes Lullaby for care, Haendel.... Mrs. Warren Snyder "The Song of the Lark," Haendel.... Mrs. Fred E. Gooding the new President-elect will preside.

Lima's women singers have a way of taking on frequent honors and rapidly building up a reputation locally for their home city so interestingly begun several years ago by one of her fair daughters, Edna de Lima, who emulating the example of that wonderful singer of the antipodes, Mme. Nellie Velba, as she has carried that name with honor into many lands and excellent company. Missie Sonntag Ufer, who just returned from a three weeks' special coaching course under Rector Stephens, Mrs.

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Three Best Sellers in Music

VICTOR RECORDS
"Margie" and "Palestine."
"Coral Sea" and "Feather Your Nest."

COLUMBIA RECORDS
"Japanese Sandman" and "Whispering."
"Get Up" and "Speed."
"Whispering" and "For Every Boy Who's on the Level There's a Girl Who's on the Square."

EMERSON RECORDS
"Avalon" and "Sweetest Lady."
"Feather Your Nest" and "My Wonderful Girl."
"At the Chocolate Bon Bon Ball" and "Chop Suey Land."

BRUNSWICK RECORDS
"Margie" and "Home Again Blues."

"I Love You, Sunday" and "Jingo Bulu Jingo."
"Rustle of Spring."

EDISON RECORDS
"Kismet" and "Wyoming."
"I'll Take You Home Again Kathleen" and "On the Banks of the Brandy Wine."

PATHE RECORDS
"Love Nest" and "Tell Me, Little Gypsy."

ACTUELLE RECORDS
"Whispering Hope" and "When You Are Gone I Won't Forget."

"Down the Trail to Home Sweet Home" and "The Love Boat."
"Grieving For You" and "Down Sicily Way."

bers principally of the Women's Music Club. It will be recalled that William Gaines of Columbus, O., won the prize offered by the Schumann Club of New York for the best past song complying with certain conditions. Percy Rector Stephens with whom Mrs. Ufer coached during October, November and December in New York is the conductor of the Schumann Club and has set April 11th for the date of their Spring concert at which the prize composition will receive its premiere. Lima is honored in the selection of this city and the women's chorus of the Women's Music Club as its progenitors for Ohio, and to present the second hearing of the work. The date is April 29th and it will constitute one of the Memorial Hall Matinee events of that organization. Mrs. Ufer will begin rehearsals at once—as soon as a satisfactory place may be secured. Lima is singularly lacking in this respect. Mrs. Ufer will present the work with not fewer than 36 singers, and a small orchestra.

The MUSICAL DIGEST, latest addition to the New York's Fourth Estate nobility, a dapper little sheet reflective of Gotham's combined critical propensities, with much artistic spice and color from stage and studio-land set forth in entertaining and instructive way by "P. V. K." formerly of the "WORLD" is a visitor in Lima's literary and musical byways. The little paper is an important feature in the study of Musical Appreciation by members of the Etude Club, a Christmas gift from Etude's news president, Mrs. Fred D. Gooding.

MRS. S. F. REIGHARD SUCCUMBS TO ILLNESS

Mrs. Mary H. Reighard, 67, wife of Seabury F. Reighard, 792 S. Main-st., died Saturday night, after a short illness from a complication of diseases. She was born in Cleveland.

Mrs. Reighard was a member of Golden Gate Rebekah lodge, The husband survives. Funeral services Tuesday at 10 o'clock at the residence. The Rev. D. N. Kelly, pastor of Grace M. E. church, will officiate. Interment in Shawnee cemetery.

Friends of Mrs. J. A. Williams Jr., S. Cole-st., are felicitating with her over the recent artistic successes of her sister, Miss Georgia MacMullen of New York. Miss MacMullen who was affectionately denominated "The American Galli Curci" at one of the Carnegie hall recitals of the Women's Philharmonic Society of New York, has been singing in some of the New York state cities and at Kew Gardens, L. I. as well as at several of the prominent New York hotel ball room musicales. Particularly at Utica did Miss MacMullen whom Ohio music fans are prone to claim as an Ohio girl, score heavily.

"Miss MacMullen sang her way in to the hearts of an appreciative audience at the State Almshouse last evening. . . . She delighted in the rendition of a well balanced program. . . . perhaps the feature number was the Villanelle selection by D'Leil Acqua in which Miss MacMullen's colorful voice blended beautifully with the tones of the flute. In the trills it was difficult to distinguish when the flute was playing and when the soprano was singing;—thus did the critic of the Daily Press write of her, and the writer on the Telegram said "Miss MacMullen's principal distinguishing characteristics are absolute accuracy of tone in all registers and perfect ease on sustained high notes. Prolonger,—those upper notes grew in charm,—rather an unusual phenomenon in singers."

January 24, 25 and 26 will be important days to the music departments of the motion picture houses all over the country, for then will be held the first annual conference of the Musical Fraternity and the Motion Picture Industry in New York City at the Hotel Astor. It is expected Lima and her handsome pictures will be well represented with a delegation headed by Charles Deardourff of the Sigma.

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PART OF CITY IS UNPROTECTED

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homes while fireworks was responsible for damages to three others. Of the match fires, 16 were due to children playing with matches. Closely allied with the match fires are the fires caused from smoking, 17 being traced to this cause.

ELECTRICITY FIRE HAZARD

"In recent years a new fire hazard has developed thru the greater distribution of electricity and the use of electric heating appliances. Many women use electric irons and carelessly leave them turned on while they step to the telephone or stop their work to entertain a caller. Those who consult this oversight are likely, upon their return, to find that their irons have set fire to the ironing board or has ignited some other combustible material. If called away from the house for some time they may find only blackened ruins where their homes formerly stood on their return, two alarms were sounded for this cause.

"Starting fires with kerosene caused the deaths of two persons and painful injuries to two others. Gasoline caused three fires and caused painful injuries to one person.

"A quart of gasoline will cause an automobile to move three miles; a similar amount used in household duties may cause an auto fire truck and an ambulance to run the same distance. The vapor from one gallon of gasoline has an explosive force equal to that of 83 pounds of dynamite.

"Natural gas caused two explosions, while hot plates, gas stoves and defective gas grates caused nine alarms. The open window, lighted candle and lace curtain combination, caused one fire, while an oil mop carelessly placed under a hot radiator caused tenants to believe the building was afire. Clothing hanging too near hot stoves caused two fires in homes, while a chicken brooder which exploded caused a fire in another. Thawing water pipes without the aid of a plumber caused two alarms.

"Carelessness, that predominating feature of the fire record, shows up vividly in a study of the cause of fires.

"One employee after using an ex-

tension light forget to turn off the current after laying the light down among combustible materials in the basement of a department store; the fire which resulted gave the department one of the hardest battles in its history. The dense smoke which filled the building made it difficult for the firemen and seven were overcome. Fires that start in a basement are generally the hardest for firemen to fight.

CARELESSNESS FIRE CAUSE
"Careless handling of an acetylene torch caused another fire which could have been prevented with a little care. An overheated core oven caused one fire which showed up on the South Side and about all the fire department could do was to make an effort to save surrounding property.

"Overheated stoves and furnaces caused 18 alarms; hot ashes piled against wooden partitions in the basement of another house gave the firemen a hard battle. The home was badly damaged.

"Incendiarism was responsible for one fire which destroyed three barns. Spontaneous combustion caused 10 alarms; while seven other fires were classed as "unknown origin."

In concluding his report, Chief Luck says:

"I cordially extend my sincere thanks to His Honor, the Mayor, the Hon. Members of City Council, and the Director of Public Safety; all other city officials and the press for their support and co-operation given me and this department and for the many favors shown.

"I also wish to thank the officers and members of the fire department for their ability, faithfulness and willingness shown in performance of their duties and to extend thanks to the chief and members of the police department for their assistance at fires and to all others who have volunteered their services or assisted the department in any manner."

YEAR'S LOSSES

Total loss by fire in Lima in 1920 was \$288,632, or \$311,163 greater than in 1919, when a loss of only \$57,469 was recorded. Damage to buildings in 1920 was \$63,366, and damage to contents was \$225,266. Insurance loss on buildings was \$60,984, and on contents of buildings, \$58,284.

HAD INTOXICANTS IN POSSESSION, CHARGE

Clarence Sawmiller, 25, proprietor of a soft drink emporium at 207 E. Wayne-st., was arrested Saturday night by Officers Cisenberry, Kipker, Landfair and Blair and is held charged with having intoxicating liquor in his possession.

When his place was raided by the police, the officers say they found a quantity of liquor.

SOCIETY

Mrs. F. T. Cuthbert, W. Market-st., will be hostess to the members of the Arbutus club at her home Monday afternoon. Current events will be used as responses to roll call. Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie will give a paper on "Women in Music."

Lima Review 43 Women's Benefit Association of Maccabees were hostesses to members of reviews from cities near Lima, at an afternoon and evening session Friday at Memorial Hall. Members were in attendance from Van Wert, Delphos, Ada, Wapakoneta, Piqua, Spencerville, Wren, Ohio City, Bradford, Ottawa, Sidney, Springfield and Dayton. The afternoon session was devoted principally to ritualistic work.

In the evening reception was tendered to Mrs. Nellie C. V. Heppert, great commander, Akron, and Mrs. Dr. Manion, Port Huron. Mrs. S. A. Worrell served as chairman of the reception committee. Six guard teams performed their work following the reception. Music was furnished principally by a quartette consisting of Miss Effie Hunt, Mrs. Joe Davidson, Allen Grubb and Mr. Stumate. Misses Effie Hunt and Violet Lewer also gave vocal solos, while Miss Mary Zuerchly gave a selected reading. The class presentation was obtained by Allen Review 187 who have past three months. The honored guests Mrs. Heppert and Mrs. Manion also spoke briefly. Lima Review No. 43 installed officers, this work being in charge of Mrs. Elmer Roberts, Mrs. R. M. Lane and Mrs. Phil Albert.

The members of the Aloha club celebrated the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Elmer Roberts, Mrs. Oliver Sullivan and Mrs. Otto Hoffman with a covered dish party at the home of Mrs. Roberts, N. Collett-st., Tuesday. During the afternoon music and contests were the features. In the contest Mrs. Edward Maag and Miss Ruth Cook were successful.

Those enjoying the affair were: Mrs. James Bowers, Mrs. J. S. Emans, Mrs. Edward Maag, Mrs. Earl Young, Miss Ruth Cook, Mrs. N. F. Hall, Mrs. Oliver Sullivan, Mrs. Otto Hoffman and Mrs. Elmer Roberts.

Edwin Johnson, N. Pierce-st., left this week for a visit of several weeks in northern Iowa.

The Alteretia Club will hold a meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. C. S. Jones, W. Market-st.

Miss Dorothy Augsburg, Bluffton high school, is the week end guest of Miss Christine Baker, N. Washington-st.

Little Helen Jane Schwartz, Brice-ave., entertained a group of friends at her home Friday afternoon. Games were played thruout the afternoon and a two course luncheon was served by the hostess' mother.

Guests included: Rosemary Hol-club holidays by their husbands at the Kirk, Glenns Marie Hobart, Lucille home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garnhauser, Mildred Fisher, Dor-Moxley with a six o'clock dinner.

othy Sherrick, Dolly O'Connor, Josephine Smith, Jane Matthews, Jane Taylor, Alice Mary Cable, Helen Goss, Elmer Starkey, Corrine Bradley, Mary Hanna, Evelyn Klinger, Audrey Basire, Elizabeth Harrold, Donald Baker, Ipez Zelenky, Richard Holstein and Harold Reeves.

In Colored Circles

The Aeolian club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Alberta Harrison. The following program will be given:

Song—Roll Call—Quotations on Education—Music—Mrs. Chattie Hamilton. Paper, Current Events—Mrs. Tina Tucker. Instrumental Solo—Mrs. Hattie Norlin. Parliamentary.

The Ways and Means Society will serve pork-quail supper Wednesday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock at St. Paul A. M. E. church. The following officers were elected to serve the Ways and Means for next year: President, Mrs. Minnie Huffman, vice president, Mrs. Mary Thomas, secretary, Mrs. Bertha Ramsey; assistant secretary, Mrs. Bessie Hill; treasurer, Mrs. Liza Vena; custodian, Mrs. Alice Johnson; flower committee, Mrs. Gladys Lewis and Mrs. Ella Douglas; sick committee, Mrs. Belle Bady and Mary Buck.

The Little Gleaners will give an entertainment Friday evening at the Second Baptist church. Chicken supper will be served at 6:00 o'clock. A play will be given, starting promptly at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Herron and Mrs. Dowdson, superintendents.

Mrs. Nera Gill S. Jackson-st. is suffering with neuritis of the eyes.

The Lima Branch of the N. A. A. C. P. will meet at 8 o'clock Sunday at St. Paul A. M. E. church. A good attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Annie Hicks are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Webb Harrison and family.

Joe Freeman's mother, Windsor, Canada, is spending the winter in Lima.

Misses Dorothy Ogilbee and Bu-leah Fox gave a match party New Year's eve, at 1530 W. Elm-st.

Those present were Misses Appline Morin Bee and Ida May Lawson, Geraldine Carpenter, Flossie and Fay Herron, Mary Collins, Roberts Black, Ruth and Hilda Suel, Mildred Harper, Cless Furman, Aramotha Randall, Bu-leah Fox and Dorothy Ogilbee. Messrs Harold Suel, Arthur Mines, Clelland Ogilbee.

After games and music, dainty refreshments were served at 12:30 o'clock.

The members of the Needlework club were entertained during the den, Dorothy Zuerchly, Charlotte Kirk, Glenns Marie Hobart, Lucille home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garnhauser, Mildred Fisher, Dor-Moxley with a six o'clock dinner.

Get in On the January Store Sales

Advance signs of tightening prices are appearing all over the country. Spring will bring general prosperity to the United States, and with this prosperity will come more employment and more demand for goods. Prices will go up, rather than keep down.

We sincerely believe that merchandise of all kinds is now on sub-bottom. Furniture, ready-to-wear, shoes, haberdashery and a thousand articles you use every day are just as good now as they will be at least until hot weather comes in June, four months away.

Buy now and be well dressed at Easter, which comes early this year. Buy now because you will save thirty to fifty per cent from the first prices of spring.

It is a wise man and just as wise a woman who buys on the bottom instead of at the top. Which are you?

Royal Boot Shop

"Store Economical"

Clearance Sale

Monday Only

\$2.45

500 pair of \$12.00 and \$14.00 Ladies' Boots, high and military heels, in all sizes, \$2.45.

Come early and get first choice. Treat yourself with the best at a ridiculous price.

Positively Monday Only

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Lima's Only Exclusive Down-Street Shoe Store
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STYLES SUPREME FOR WOMEN WHO DO THEIR OWN DRESSMAKING

The One-Piece Dress in New Designs That Perpetuate Its Prestige and Popularity—Velvets in Straight Line Effect Frequently Developed with Separate Skirt and Waist—

New Models of Exacting Style, Yet Adaptable and Economical to Reproduce—Capricious Fashion Clings to Old Fabrics But Flirts with New Suitors—

Despite Infinite Variety of Treatment, the Long Tight Sleeve Is Given Preference—All Coats High Collared But Not All Full Length.



Home Dressmaker's Corner

Slip-on Nightgown with V-Shaped Front, Simply Developed and Daintily Embroidered

FOR personal use or for a gift, this creation, if the gown is embroidered, new nightgown model is attractive, it would be well to hemstitch the hem, and acceptable. It is fashioned either by hand or machinery. Stitch in fine pinnock, though silken fabric is best.



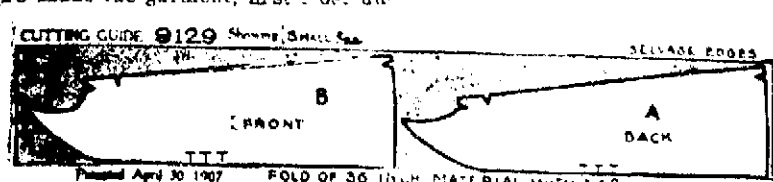
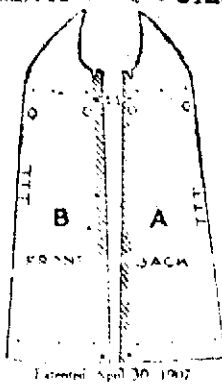
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Empire Nightgown with V-front

rics may be used instead, if preferred, and has large armholes. The V-shaped fronts are daintily embroidered. If made of nainsook the embroidery should be done in white; if fashioned of silk crepe de chine or satin, then the handwork could be in self-color or white. The gown is drawn in closely in Empire effect, with ribbon inserted through a casing. Medium size requires 3½ yards 36-inch material.

As there are but two pieces to the pattern, both the cutting and construction processes are simple. The front and the back of the pattern are laid along the lengthwise fold of the goods, doing away with any seams. To make the garment, first clip, un-

CONSTRUCTION LINE 9129



Turn hem on outside of nightgown, with lower edge at lower edge on small "b" perforations of casing along crossline of small

American, emphasize the slender straight line. This silhouette they gloriously interpret in one-piece frocks fashioned of fabrics that are equally a delight to the eye, luxury to touch

and triumph of artistic development. All are agreed upon the correct treatment of the collar. It is high, whether it closes at the throat or falls apart to reveal a dainty vest.

About girdles there also is no controversy. It is sub-normal. As collars are raised, girdles are lowered.

Sleeves? Yes, here, too, is opinion unanimous. While there is infinite variety of detail, the long tight sleeve is preferred above others and every great couturier uses it.

Upon such a foundation the clever woman can erect a superstructure of details that is limited only by the ingenuity of the builder. Draperies, embroideries, trimmings, etc., may be used with the greatest freedom or omitted without the sacrifice of smart effect.

One of the styles supreme for women who do their own dressmaking is a one-piece frock in dark blue serge trimmed with velvet striped satin. The cut of the dress is cut out to form a panel effect. The straight sections set into the panels are of satin and this trimming is repeated in the vest, which is given an oval shape as a result of the way the front of the waist is cut out and held together at the neck. A narrow belt of self-material holds in the fullness at the waist. Buttons arranged in a row at the back of the long tight sleeves, add to their smart effect. This dress may be developed entirely in serge without the use of contrasting trimming.

Dark brown taffeta closely spotted with satin dots of self-color is employed to fashion a charming one-piece frock, for whose collar and vest blue crepe georgette is selected. The side gore is attached to the front and back of the skirt below the waistline and underneath narrow plaits. This gives both front and back a panel effect. The belt is of spotted taffeta. If desired in more decorative effect, the sides may be trimmed with bias bands of self-material or with ribbon.

Whenever panels are introduced, embroidery is found, especially since most of the panels on latest creations are of the straight gathered variety. There comes a fascinating frock in broadcloth in the new shade known as pine cone. It is a rich, dark green. About the lower edge of the skirt and on the flare sleeves is an embroidery trimming of exceedingly simple design worked in amber, brown and dark green wool. The panels, versatile adjuncts, may extend below the edge of the two-piece gathered skirt, stop even with its hem, or be omitted entirely, while all of the fashionable frocks

to perforations in front and back sections. Insert ribbon through the casing to regulate fullness and tie in front.

Tack the points at shoulder, or sew ribbon to the points and tie as shown in the illustration. In place of the casing, it is a dainty idea to slash eyelets about the waistline, embroidery them and then run the ribbon through.

are girdled in some way or other—always low—the girdles are not restrictive. While jackets sometimes are closely fitted above the hips to accentuate the flare below, there is no general attempt to tighten the blouse at the waistline.

There are numerous models in black velvet and frequently the skirt and waist are developed separately then joined under a girde of the same material, resulting in a straight line effect. Either velvet or velveteen is so rich that no other material is required in its decoration. Cream colored lace gives a youthful and dainty touch, however, and one sees it employed quite often for vests and collars. Laces with the design outlined in colored silk threads are also extremely smart for the decoration of black velvets, to say nothing of the gold and silver garnitures. Silver seems more used for velvet than does gold, gold being reserved principally for black satin and the sheer fabrics. There is no reason, as generally explained, for this order of things. Some of the leading designers feature the velvet and silver combinations while others adhere to the satin and gold effects. The woman who is copying them exercises her own sweet will in the matter.

Black velvet, too, appears in the development of some smart coats. All of the new coats have high collars, but all of them are not long. A model that falls only to a little below the hips is fashioned of black velvet and provides for either a high collar or a cape collar. It is trimmed entirely with self-material, but the buttons are of some black silk braid. Very pretty silks—invariably figured—are used to line both long and short coats.

Banana Compote. Divide the bananas in regular pieces, arrange them in slices on your compote dish, one slice overlapping the other a little, in a circle. Sprinkle them with sugar. Squeeze the juice of an orange and half a lemon, this is sufficient for six bananas, pour over bananas. Cover the dish, leave it for two hours in a cold place. Place the mould of corn flour in centre, garnish with dots of jelly, jam or angelica.

Molasses Cookies. One-half cup sugar, 1 cup molasses, ½ cup butter or other shortening, 1 teaspoon salt, 2-3 cup of cold water for soft cookies, or boiling water for crisp cookies, 2 rounding teaspoons soda, 1 teaspoon ginger, sufficient flour to roll out. Mix sugar, molasses and shortening. Add water and 2 cups of flour mixed and sifted with soda, salt and spices. Add enough flour to roll out. Bake in a hot oven.

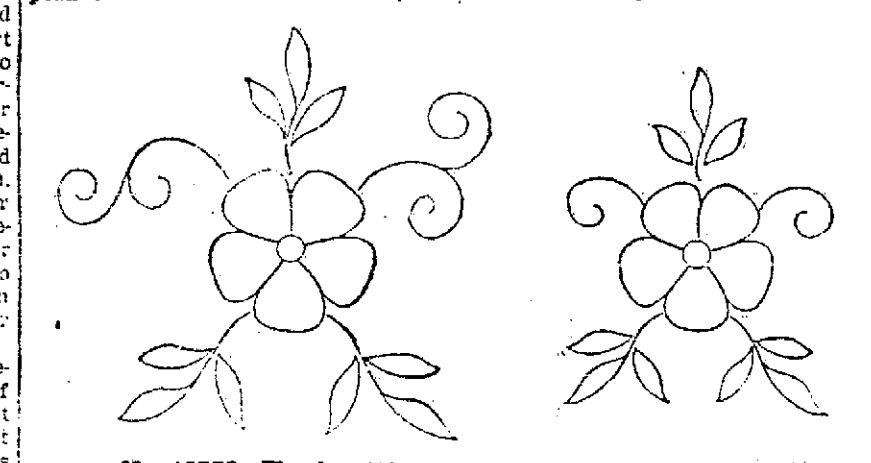
Ironing Hint. If one must do some pressing or ironing when the stove is covered with cooking utensils, if the oven is hot enough, place the irons in it and for once know the joy of not having to stop and clean the spattered grease from your iron.

Exquisite Combinations Shown In Embroideries

Persian and Turkish Effects Introduced In Simple New Designs For Fashionable Garments

By KATHRYN MUTTERER. THERE is scarcely anything this season that is not embroidered and as the trimming adds to the elegance of a garment as well as to the cost, the woman who does her own sewing tries to make it a point to do her own embroidering. In all of the latest fashions introduced by European and American dressmakers, embroidery appears. They vary greatly, but in a simple in design and there is a general agreement about the super-effectiveness of Persian and Turkish colorings. On blue, the most striking color combinations in embroidery are henna, green, coral, yellow, dark brown and black. Green makes a delightful background for red, black, coral, blue, silver, gold

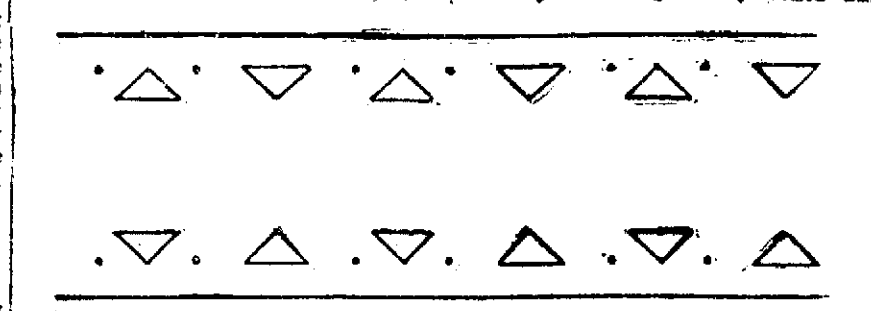
samples. The floral pattern shown supplies four each of the motifs and 3½ yards of border for running stitches. The silk, wool or beads used for the running stitches should be either in two different colors, or two shades of one color. Purple and gray are frequently used for the running-stitch borders and they are pretty on almost any



No. 12372—Floral motifs for embroidery in Egyptian colors.

background. It seems like gilding the lily to embroider velvets, but it is done and by the best of designers. A great deal of silver and coral are used in embroidery applied to velvet and velveteen.

The odd little figures in the second design which remind one so much of the days when geometry vexed and



No. 12374—Though simple in effect, this design has great decorative possibilities.

and jade. Brown is rather clannish, but it consorts well with beige, sand, yellow, gray and black. One can no longer visualize embroideries from the descriptions, for if many looked like the descriptions sounded, no woman would ever attempt them. It requires an artistic sense to combine so many colors effectively, but the shops are full of designs which may be used as

snared, may be worked in solid satin or outline stitches, or they may be beaded. The lines above and below the figures are for outline or darning stitches. French knots or solid satin stitches are suggested for the small dots between the figures. This is one of the most attractive of the new embroidery designs and it works up with remarkable rapidity.

Onion Soup. Mince large, thick onions, five or six, let them color over the fire in butter, add a dessert spoon of flour, sprinkling it in, and the same amount in gravy, thicken it with potatoes

when these are cooked press all through a sieve. Bring the puree to the right consistency with milk. Let it simmer for a few minutes before serving, seasoning with pepper and salt.

A Savory Pea Dish. Take one pint of dried peas and let them soak them overnight in three pints of water. Cook them until tender in the water in which they soaked. Then add six sliced onions and cook until they are tender. To one pint of tomatoes, fresh or canned, add one and one-half cupful of cooked rice or hominy, two teaspoonsful of salt, half a teaspoonful of pepper, and half a tablespoonful of chopped parsley. Cook the tomatoes and seasonings for fifteen minutes. Pour into a hot dish, cover with the peas and onions, and garnish with parsley.

Mutton Salad. Cut some slices of cold mutton or lamb, removing every bit of fat and skin that you can, unless that destroys the firmness of the slice. Prepare a salad of lettuce, if you cannot give a mayonnaise sauce, add to the lettuce plenty of sliced cucumber, for that keeps the mutton moist. Put the salad on each slice and roll the meat over as tightly as you can. Lay the rolls closely together in the serving dish and sprinkle a very little salad dressing over them. Garnish with a little boiled beet cut in fancy shapes.

IN CASE OF FIRE. Place the chair or table near your bed, on a large agate pitcher of cold water. One is apt to want a drink of water in the night. But if fire should break out, one would have a towel and water with which to dampen it to bind over the nose and mouth as one gropes one's way through the smoke-filled hall. On the foot of your bed keep a bath robe and a street coat, on the floor keep a pair of low shoes. If thus prepared you will not be forced to flee the flames scantily attired—apparently.

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1 LOST & FOUND

LOST—1 pair of 10 in. shears. Finder
please call 4140.

LOST—Cap between Lima Locomotive
Works and 215 W. Europa. Liberal re-
ward for same. Homer Con.

LOST—Ladies White Gold Pin with
main pearl in center. Call High 3673
or Main 4541. Reward.

LOST—Articles can be quickly restored
by advertising in these columns.

Party that took black sample case in-
side door of Metropolitan 80-500 Store
Saturday, noon return to Manhattan
Hotel. Reward.

FOUND—Small package in downtown
shopping district. Finder please
call at this office by identifying and
paying for ad.

LOST—Black collar Friday night
ward. Finder please return to News
Office.

LOST—Pearl beads, between 600 E.
Market and 215 N. Scott. Call Lake
1018.

LOST—Bunch of keys. Finder please
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West Kibby and 329 South Jackson.
Phone Main 4180. Reward.

2 HELP WANTED (General)

LIMA EMPLOYMENT OFFICE

123 1/2 W. High St. Phone Main 1902

WANTED AT ONCE

2 boiler-makers, 1 farm hand, 4
salesladies, 3 women for general
housework, 2 cooks, \$35 per week;
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welder.

CLERKS—(Men, women) over 17, for
Post Mail Service. \$130 monthly. Ex-
aminations January. Experience not
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R. Perry, (former Civil Service Exam-
iner) 461 Continental Bldg., Wash-
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MAN OR WOMAN WANTED—Salary
\$25 full time, 75c an hour spare time,
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EXPERIENCED MEN—WOMEN—GIRLS
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tute, Dept. 341-R, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—Experienced and unex-
perienced male and female house-
hold-carriers on a commis-
sion basis; an excellent opportunity
for right parties; in answering
state age and experience if any.
BOX 113, care Lima News.

3 FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Housekeeper by widower.
Best position for good party. Refer-
ence exchanged. Box 133, care of
News.

WANTED—If you want a reliable girl
for housework, call Main 4921 and let
us write an ad for you.

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Thirty-five experienced sales-
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CARTER & CARROLL

WANTED—Girl or male, aged woman
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Room 9, over Ebermann's Clothing
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Phone Main 6071 West Market St.

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I have a splendid house to house
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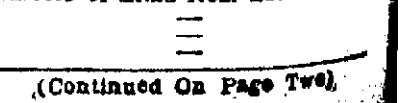
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LABORATORY SALESROOM is located on the main floor facing Market-st. Its interior is handsomely decorated. The general offices are located on the second floor overlooking the salesroom, with Mr. Hartline's office to the east. A machine may drive from the market entrance to any floor in the building. A slanting drive makes it possible without the use of elevating devices.

The company is incorporated for \$200,000, with Don. O. Ware, president; J. R. Carnes, treasurer; Joe Hartline, vice president and general manager; and M. L. Johnson, first vice president.

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The first floor will be used for service and repair work.

A person may drive to the top of the first floor elevation and there their car will be taken in charge by an employee and placed in the stall where it belongs. When their return for the car, it will be cleaned and a man will be found to the steering wheel, telling how much gasoline and oil is in the tank.

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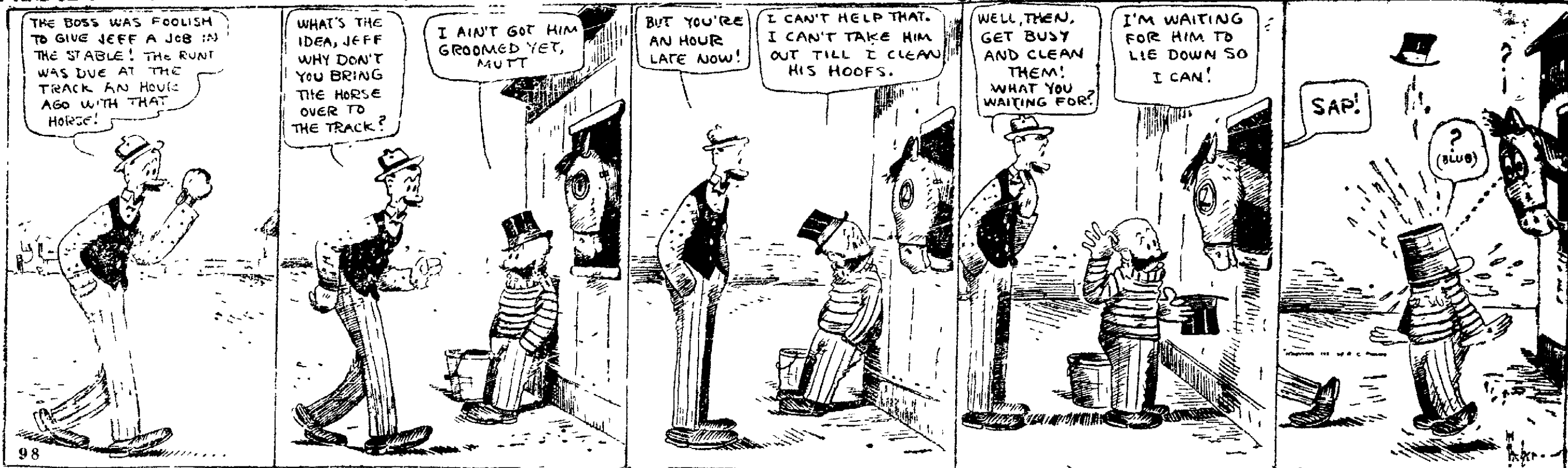
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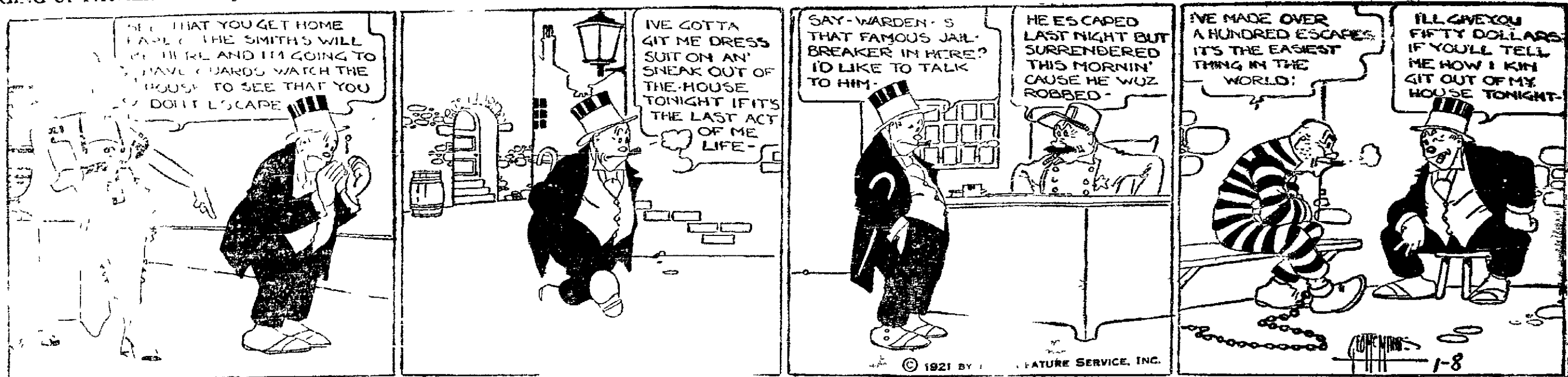
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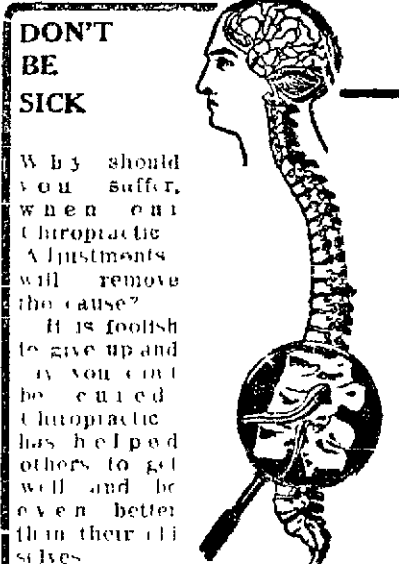
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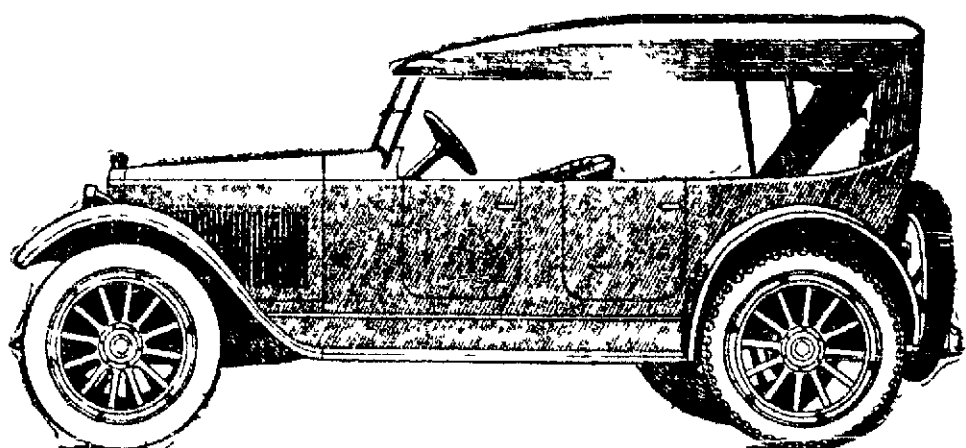
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